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THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT BARACK H. OBAMA

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON D.C.



April 6, 2011
12:35 AM WEDNESDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
12:35 AM	12:35 AM	P [REDACTED]
7:00 AM	7:00 AM	R [REDACTED]
9:11 AM	P6/b(6)	The President went to the Situation Room.
9:17 AM	10:02 AM	R The President talked via secure video teleconference (SVTC) with the President of Afghanistan, Hamid Karzai.
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11:05 AM		The President went to the Oval Office.
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11:30 AM	11:36 AM	The President participated in a pre-brief with: Mr. Daley [in at 11:35] Robert L. "Rob" Nabors II, Assistant to the President and Director of Legislative Affairs David Plouffe, Assistant to the President and Senior Advisor
11:36 AM	11:42 AM	The President talked with Senator Harry Reid (D-Nevada). The purpose of the call was to discuss the ongoing budget negotiations. Mr. Daley Mr. Nabors Mr. Plouffe
11:42 AM	11:46 AM	The President met with: Mr. Daley Mr. Nabors Mr. Plouffe

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON D.C.



April 6, 2011
11:46 AM WEDNESDAY

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11:46 AM	11:50 AM	The President talked with the Speaker of the House, John A. Boehner (R-Ohio). The purpose of the call was to discuss the ongoing budget negotiations. Mr. Daley Mr. Nabors Mr. Plouffe
11:50 AM *	12:00 PM *	The President participated in a photo opportunity with a Make-A-Wish child: Kean M. Veran, Make a Wish child Chew Peng "Peggy" Wee, mother Shaun N. Veran, brother Ellie S. Schafer, Director of the Visitor's Office
12:24 PM		The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.
12:25 PM	12:35 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from the South Grounds of the White House to Joint Base Andrews. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
12:35 PM		The President arrived at Joint Base Andrews.
12:45 PM	1:20 PM	The President flew by Air Force One from Joint Base Andrews to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. For a partial list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
1:20 PM		The President arrived at Philadelphia International Airport.
1:20 PM	1:22 PM *	The President deplaned and was greeted by the Mayor of Philadelphia, Michael Nutter.
1:22 PM *	1:25 PM	The President worked the rope line.
1:25 PM	1:44 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from Philadelphia International Airport to Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>

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LANDING ZONE
FAIRLESS HILLS PENNSYLVANIA



April 6, 2011
1:44 PM WEDNESDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
1:44 PM		The President arrived at the Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills.
1:47 PM	1:50 PM	The President motored from the Factory landing zone to Gamesa Technology Corporation, 400 Gamesa Drive. He was accompanied by his Special Assistant and Personal Aide, Reginald L. "Reggie" Love.
1:50 PM	1:54 PM	The President arrived at Gamesa Technology Corporation and was greeted by: Dirk Matthys, CEO, Gamesa Technology Corporation Luis M. Fernandez, Chief Corporate Officer, Gamesa Technology Corporation Arthur S. Whitemore III, Chief Financial Officer, Gamesa Technology Corporation Alfred Richter, Plant Manager, Gamesa Technology Corporation
1:54 PM		The President went to the break room.
1:54 PM	2:02 PM	
	P6/b(6)	
2:02 PM	2:05 PM	The President went to the factory floor.
2:05 PM	3:10 PM	The President participated in a Town Hall on Energy.
2:05 PM	3:04 PM	The President addressed town hall attendees and participated in a question and answer session. Members of Press
3:04 PM	3:10 PM	The President worked the rope line.
3:10 PM		The President went to the break room.
3:10 PM	3:11 PM *	The President participated in a photo opportunity with police, firefighters, and motorcade drivers.

(*) Indicates event time unconfirmed.

(P, R) Indicates phone call placed, received.

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GAMESA TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION
FAIRLESS HILLS PENNSYLVANIA



April 6, 2011
3:11 PM WEDNESDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION	
3:11 PM *	3:15 PM	The President participated in a greeting with elected officials and community leaders. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "F."</u>	
3:17 PM	3:20 PM	The President motored from Gamesa Technology Corporation to the Factory landing zone. He was accompanied by Mr. Love.	
3:20 PM		The President arrived at the Factory landing zone.	
3:25 PM	3:57 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from the Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills to Philadelphia International Airport. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "G."</u>	
3:57 PM		The President arrived at Philadelphia International Airport.	
4:05 PM	5:00 PM	The President flew by Air Force One from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania to New York, New York. For a partial list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "H."</u>	
4:18 PM	4:22 PM	P	The President talked with Mr. Plouffe.
5:00 PM			The President arrived at John F. Kennedy International Airport.
5:05 PM	5:24 PM		The President flew by Marine helicopter from John F. Kennedy International Airport to the Wall Street landing zone. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "I."</u>
5:24 PM			The President arrived at the Wall Street landing zone.
5:25 PM	5:40 PM		The President motored from the Wall Street landing zone to the Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers, 811 7th Avenue. He was accompanied by Mr. Love.
5:40 PM	5:44 PM		The President arrived at the Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers and was greeted by the hotel's General Manager, Mark Sanders.

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SHERATON NEW YORK HOTEL AND
TOWERS
NEW YORK NEW YORK



April 6, 2011
5:44 PM WEDNESDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
5:44 PM	5:50 PM	The President went to the Lenox Ballroom.
5:50 PM	6:00 PM	The President participated in a receiving line with VIP guests and Award honorees.
6:00 PM	6:05 PM	The President went to the Metropolitan Ballroom.
6:05 PM	6:26 PM	The President attended the National Action Networks' 20th Annual Gala.
6:05 PM		The President was introduced by the President and founder of the National Action Network, the Reverend Alfred C. "Al" Sharpton.
6:05 PM	6:26 PM	The President addressed the National Action Network annual gala. Members of Press
6:26 PM	6:26 PM	The President worked the rope line.
6:26 PM		The President went to the Malcolm Eve room.
6:26 PM	6:28 PM *	The President participated in a photo opportunity with police, firefighters, and motorcade drivers.
6:28 PM *	6:30 PM	The President participated in a photo opportunity with: Michael A. Blake, Deputy Associate Director of Intergovernmental Affairs [and mother] Maju Varghese, Advance Office; with her husband and daughter
6:30 PM	6:37 PM	The President went to motorcade.
6:37 PM	6:50 PM	The President motored from the Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers to the Wall Street landing zone. He was accompanied by Mr. Love.
6:50 PM		The President arrived at the Wall Street landing zone.

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WALL STREET LANDING ZONE
NEW YORK NEW YORK



April 6, 2011
6:55 PM WEDNESDAY

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6:55 PM	7:15 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from the Wall Street landing zone to John F. Kennedy International Airport. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "J."</u>
7:15 PM		The President arrived at John F. Kennedy International Airport.
7:25 PM	8:00 PM	The President flew by Air Force One from New York, New York to Joint Base Andrews. For a partial list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "K."</u>
		The President went to the press cabin.
		The President dropped by the birthday celebration for Sunlen Miller, reporter for ABC News.
8:00 PM		The President arrived at Joint Base Andrews.
8:20 PM	8:30 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from Joint Base Andrews to the South Grounds of the White House. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "L."</u>
8:30 PM		The President returned to the South Grounds of the White House.
8:30 PM *		The President went to the Oval Office.
8:43 PM	9:06 PM	The President participated in a meeting on the Budget. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "M."</u>
9:07 PM	9:33 PM	The President met to discuss the budget with: Vice President Biden Speaker John A. Boehner, (R-Ohio) Senator Harry Reid, (D-Nevada)
9:33 PM		The Presidential party went to the Oval Office dining room.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON D.C.



April 6, 2011
9:33 PM WEDNESDAY

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9:33 PM	10:31 PM	The President participated in a meeting on the budget with: Vice President Biden Speaker Boehner Senator Reid Barry S. Jackson, chief of staff to Speaker Boehner David Krone, chief of staff to Senator Reid Mr. Nabors Mr. Lew
10:31 PM	10:41 PM	The President met with: Vice President Biden Mr. Daley Mr. Lew [out at 10:38] Mr. Nabors [out at 10:38] James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary [in at 10:35] David Plouffe, Assistant to the President and Senior Advisor [in at 10:35] Dan Pfeiffer, Assistant to the President and Director of Communications [in at 10:35] Stephanie T. Cutter, Assistant to the President and Deputy Senior Advisor [in at 10:35]
10:41 PM	10:44 PM	The President went to the James S. Brady Press Briefing Room.
10:44 PM	10:46 PM	The President made remarks to members of the press on the progress of budget talks.
10:47 PM	10:51 PM	The President met in the hallway with: Vice President Biden Mr. Daley
10:52 PM		The President went to the Second Floor Residence.

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APPENDICES FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL DIARY
OF
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2011

THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT BARACK H. OBAMA



SECURE CONFERENCE CALL ON LIBYA

April 6, 2011
The Situation Room

Appendix "A"

Attendance per NSC and Situation
Room phone log.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Joseph R. "Joe" Biden Junior, Vice President

Hillary R. Clinton, Secretary of State
[via secure phone]

Robert M. Gates, Secretary of Defense

Michele A. Flournoy, Under Secretary for Policy, Department of Defense

Admiral Michael G. Mullen, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff

Admiral Samuel J. Locklear III, Commander, U.S. Naval Forces Africa, and Commander, Allied Joint Force
Command (Naples)
[via SVTC]

Leon E. Panetta, Director, Central Intelligence Agency

Michael J. Morell, Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

Susan E. Rice, Permanent Representative of the U.S. to the United Nations

William M. Daley, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Thomas E. Donilon, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs

John O. Brennan, Assistant to the President for Homeland Security and Counterterrorism

Denis McDonough, Assistant to the President and Deputy National Security Advisor

Antony J. "Tony" Blinken, Deputy Assistant and National Security Advisor to the Vice President

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SECURE CONFERENCE CALL ON LIBYA

April 6, 2011

The Situation Room

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Benjamin J. Rhodes, Deputy Assistant and Deputy National Security Advisor for Strategic Communications

Brooke D. Anderson, Deputy Assistant, Chief of Staff and Counselor, National Security Staff

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: South Grounds, White House

To: Joint Base Andrews

Appendix "B"

Attendance confirmed by Flight
Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Reginald L. "Reggie" Love, Special Assistant and Personal Aide to the President

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations)

Peter "Pete" Souza, White House photographer

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Joint Base Andrews

To: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Appendix "C"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit

Capt. Lori D. Carver, Nurse, White House Medical Unit

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations)

Samantha K. Appleton, White House photographer

Peter "Pete" Souza, White House photographer

Susan E. Davidson, Deputy Executive Secretary and Senior Director for Resource Management, National Security Staff

Adam P. Frankel, Special Assistant and Senior Presidential Speechwriter

Caitlin G. Hurley, Assistant Staff Secretary

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Joint Base Andrews

To: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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Kevin S. Lewis, Director of African American Media

Kyle J. Cozad, Director of Operations and Deputy Director, White House Situation Room

Ron Bloom, Assistant to the President for Manufacturing Policy, National Economic Council

Fred P. Hochberg, Chairman and President, Export-Import Bank of the U.S.

Caroline E. Hughes, Press Assistant

Senior Chief Petty Officer Alonzo Newbold, valet

Master Sergeant Angel Barreto, White House Transportation Agency

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Philadelphia International Airport

To: Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills

Appendix "D"

Attendance confirmed by Flight
Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

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GREETING WITH ELECTED OFFICIALS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS

April 6, 2011
The Break Room
Gamesa Technology Corporation
Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania

Appendix "F"

Attendance confirmed by Travel Log.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Tina Davis, Pennsylvania State Representative

Diane M. Ellis-Marseglia, Bucks County Commissioner

Steve Santarsiero, Pennsylvania State Representative

Josh Shapiro, Pennsylvania State Representative

Frank Snyder, Secretary-Treasurer, Pennsylvania AFL-CIO

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills

To: Philadelphia International Airport

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

To: Joint Base Andrews

Appendix "H"

Attendance not confirmed.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit

Capt. Lori D. Carver, Nurse, White House Medical Unit

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

To: Joint Base Andrews

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: JFK International Airport

To: Wall Street landing zone

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Wall Street landing zone

To: JFK International Airport

Appendix "J"

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: New York, New York

To: Joint Base Andrews

Appendix "K"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit

Capt. Lori D. Carver, Nurse, White House Medical Unit

Capt. Joseph M. Uzpen, physician assistant, White House Medical Unit

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

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To: Joint Base Andrews

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Joint Base Andrews

To: South Grounds, White House

Appendix "L"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

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THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT BARACK H. OBAMA



BUDGET MEETING

April 6, 2011
The Oval Office

Appendix "M"

Attendance confirmed by Oval
Office Log.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Vice President Biden

William M. Daley, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Bruce N. Reed, Chief of Staff to the Vice President

Dan Pfeiffer, Assistant to the President and Director of Communications

Peter M. "Pete" Rouse, Counselor

David Plouffe, Assistant to the President and Senior Advisor

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Gene B. Sperling, Assistant to the President for Economic Policy and Director, National Economic Council

Jacob J. Lew, Director of the Office of Management and Budget

Robert L. "Rob" Nabors II, Assistant to the President and Director of Legislative Affairs

Nancy-Ann M. DeParle, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Policy)

Stephanie T. Cutter, Assistant to the President and Deputy Senior Advisor

Philip M. Schiliro, Assistant to the President and Special Advisor

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON D.C.



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30620	12:45 PM	1:20 PM	The President flew by Air Force One from Joint Base Andrews to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. For a partial list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
30621	1:20 PM		The President arrived at Philadelphia International Airport.
30622	1:20 PM	1:22 PM *	The President deplaned and was greeted by the Mayor of Philadelphia, Michael Nutter.
33086	1:22 PM	1:25 PM	The President worked the rope line.
30623	1:25 PM	1:44 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from Philadelphia International Airport to Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>

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LANDING ZONE
FAIRLESS HILLS PENNSYLVANIA



April 6, 2011
1:44 PM WEDNESDAY

ID	START	END	DESCRIPTION
30624	1:44 PM		The President arrived at the Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills.
30626	1:47 PM	1:50 PM	The President motored from the Factory landing zone to Gamesa Technology Corporation, 400 Gamesa Drive. He was accompanied by his Special Assistant and Personal Aide, Reginald L. "Reggie" Love.
30627	1:50 PM	1:54 PM	The President arrived at Gamesa Technology Corporation and was greeted by: Dirk Matthys, CEO, Gamesa Technology Corporation Luis M. Fernandez, Chief Corporate Officer, Gamesa Technology Corporation Arthur S. Whittemore III, Chief Financial Officer, Gamesa Technology Corporation Alfred Richter, Plant Manager, Gamesa Technology Corporation
30628	1:54 PM		The President went to the break room.
30629	1:54 PM	2:02 PM	[REDACTED]
			[REDACTED]
30630	2:02 PM	2:05 PM	The President went to the factory floor.
30631	2:05 PM	3:10 PM	The President participated in a Town Hall on Energy.
30632	2:05 PM	3:04 PM	The President addressed town hall attendees and participated in a question and answer session. Members of Press
30633	3:04 PM	3:10 PM	The President worked the rope line.
30634	3:10 PM		The President went to the break room.
30635	3:10 PM	3:11 PM *	The President participated in a photo opportunity with police, firefighters, and motorcade drivers.

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GAMESA TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION
FAIRLESS HILLS PENNSYLVANIA



April 6, 2011
3:11 PM WEDNESDAY

ID	START	END	DESCRIPTION
30636	3:11 PM *	3:15 PM	The President participated in a greeting with elected officials and community leaders. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "F."</u>
30637	3:17 PM	3:20 PM	The President motored from Gamesa Technology Corporation to the Factory landing zone. He was accompanied by Mr. Love.
30638	3:20 PM		The President arrived at ^{the} Factory landing zone. ✓
30639	3:25 PM	3:57 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from ^{the} Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills to Philadelphia International Airport. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "G."</u> ✓
30640	3:57 PM		The President arrived at Philadelphia International Airport.
30641	4:05 PM	5:00 PM	The President flew by Air Force One from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania to New York, New York. For a partial list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "H."</u>
30625	4:18 PM	4:22 PM	P The President talked with Mr. Plouffe.
30642	5:00 PM		The President arrived at John F. Kennedy International Airport.
30643	5:05 PM	5:24 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from John F. Kennedy International Airport to the Wall Street landing zone. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "I."</u>
30644	5:24 PM		The President arrived at the Wall Street landing zone.
30645	5:25 PM	5:40 PM	The President motored from the Wall Street landing zone to the Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers, 811 7th Avenue. He was accompanied by Mr. Love.
30646	5:40 PM	5:44 PM	The President arrived at the Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers and was greeted by the hotel's General Manager, Mark Sanders.

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SHERATON NEW YORK HOTEL AND
TOWERS
NEW YORK NEW YORK



April 6, 2011
5:44 PM WEDNESDAY

ID	START	END	DESCRIPTION
30647	5:44 PM	5:50 PM	The President went to the Lenox Ballroom.
30648	5:50 PM	6:00 PM	The President participated in a receiving line with VIP guests and Award honorees.
30649	6:00 PM	6:05 PM	The President went to the Metropolitan Ballroom.
30650	6:05 PM	6:26 PM	The President attended the National Action Networks' 20th Annual Gala.
30651	6:05 PM		The President was introduced by the President and founder of the National Action Network, the Reverend Alfred C. "Al" Sharpton.
30652	6:05 PM	6:26 PM	The President addressed the National Action Network annual gala. Members of Press
30653	6:26 PM	6:26 PM	The President worked the rope line.
30654	6:26 PM		The President went to the Malcolm Eve room.
30655	6:26 PM	6:28 PM *	The President participated in a photo opportunity with police, firefighters, and motorcade drivers.
33087	6:28 PM *	6:30 PM	The President participated in a photo opportunity with: Michael A. Blake, Deputy Associate Director of Intergovernmental Affairs [and mother] Maju Varghese, Advance Office; with her husband and daughter
33088	6:30 PM	6:37 PM	The President went to motorcade.
30656	6:37 PM	6:50 PM	The President motored from the Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers to the Wall Street landing zone. He was accompanied by Mr. Love.
30657	6:50 PM		The President arrived at the Wall Street landing zone.

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WALL STREET LANDING ZONE
NEW YORK NEW YORK

April 6, 2011
6:55 PM WEDNESDAY

ID	START	END	DESCRIPTION
30658	6:55 PM	7:15 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from the Wall Street landing zone to John F. Kennedy International Airport. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "J."</u>
30659	7:15 PM		The President arrived at John F. Kennedy International Airport.
30660	7:25 PM	8:00 PM	The President flew by Air Force One from New York, New York to Joint Base Andrews. For a partial list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "K."</u>
30661			The President went to the press cabin.
30662			The President dropped by the birthday celebration for Sunlen Miller, reporter for ABC News.
30663	8:00 PM		The President arrived at Joint Base Andrews.
30664	8:20 PM	8:30 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from Joint Base Andrews to the South Grounds of the White House. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "L."</u>
30665	8:30 PM		The President returned to the South Grounds of the White House.
30666	8:30 PM *		The President went to the Oval Office.
33090	8:43 PM	9:06 PM	The President participated in a meeting on the Budget. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "M."</u>
30667	9:07 PM	9:33 PM	The President met to discuss the budget with: Vice President Biden Speaker John A. Boehner, (R-Ohio) Senator Harry Reid, (D-Nevada)
33091	9:33 PM		The Presidential party went to the Oval Office dining room.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON D.C.



April 6, 2011
9:33 PM WEDNESDAY

ID	START	END	DESCRIPTION
33092	9:33 PM	10:31 PM	<p><i>participated in a budget meeting</i></p> <p>The President met to discuss the budget with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vice President Biden Speaker Boehner Senator Reid Barry S. Jackson, chief of staff to Speaker Boehner David Krone, chief of staff to Senator Reid Mr. Nabors Mr. Lew
33093	10:31 PM	10:41 PM	<p>The President met with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vice President Biden Mr. Daley Mr. Lew [out at 10:38] Mr. Nabors [out at 10:38] James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary [in at 10:35] David Plouffe, Assistant to the President and Senior Advisor [in at 10:35] Dan Pfeiffer, Assistant to the President and Director of Communications [in at 10:35] Stephanie T. Cutter, Assistant to the President and Deputy Senior Advisor [in at 10:35]
30668	10:41 PM	10:44 PM	The President went to the James S. Brady Press Briefing Room.
30669	10:44 PM	10:46 PM	The President made remarks to members of the press on <i>the progress of</i> budget talks.
33094	10:47 PM	10:51 PM	<p>The President met in the hallway with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vice President Biden Mr. Daley
30670	10:52 PM		The President went to the Second Floor Residence.

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APPENDICES FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL DIARY
OF
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2011

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SECURE CONFERENCE CALL ON LIBYA

April 6, 2011

The Situation Room

Event 30611

Appendix "A"

Attendance per NSC and Situation Room phone log.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Joseph R. "Joe" Biden Junior, Vice President

Hillary R. Clinton, Secretary of State
[via secure phone]

Robert M. Gates, Secretary of Defense

Michele A. Flournoy, Under Secretary for Policy, Department of Defense

Admiral Michael G. Mullen, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff

Admiral Samuel J. Locklear III, Commander, U.S. Naval Forces Africa, and Commander, Allied Joint Force Command (Naples)
[via SVTC]

Leon E. Panetta, Director, Central Intelligence Agency

Michael J. Morell, Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

Susan E. Rice, Permanent Representative of the U.S. to the United Nations

William M. Daley, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Thomas E. Donilon, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs

John O. Brennan, Assistant to the President for Homeland Security and Counterterrorism

Denis McDonough, Assistant to the President and Deputy National Security Advisor

Antony J. "Tony" Blinken, Deputy Assistant and National Security Advisor to the Vice President

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Benjamin J. Rhodes, Deputy Assistant and Deputy National Security Advisor for Strategic Communications

Brooke D. Anderson, Deputy Assistant, Chief of Staff and Counselor, National Security Staff

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: South Grounds, White House

To: Joint Base Andrews

Event 30618

Appendix "B"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Reginald L. "Reggie" Love, Special Assistant and Personal Aide to the President

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations)

Peter "Pete" Souza, White House photographer

Lt. Col. Samuel T. "Sam" Price II, Air Force Aide

Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Joint Base Andrews

To: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Event 30620

Appendix "C"

Attendance ~~not~~ confirmed.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit ✓

Capt. Lori D. Carver, Nurse, White House Medical Unit ✓

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary ✓

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations) ✓

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David J. "Jordan" Whichard IV, Associate Director and Trip Coordinator, Advance Office ✓

Lt. Col. Samuel T. "Sam" Price II, Air Force Aide ✓

^{MDN - ✓}
~~Martin H. "Marty" Nesbitt, friend of the President; founder, CEO, The Parking Spot~~ ✓

Reginald L. "Reggie" Love, Special Assistant and Personal Aide to the President ✓

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Joint Base Andrews

To: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Event 30620

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Margaret S. Suntum, White House stenographer ✓

Kevin S. Lewis, Director of African American Media ✓

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Ron Bloom, Assistant to the President for Manufacturing Policy, National Economic Council ✓

Fred P. Hochberg, Chairman and President, Export-Import Bank of the U.S. ✓

Caroline E. Hughes, Press Assistant ✓

Senior Chief Petty Officer Alonzo Newbold, valet ✓

Master Sergeant Angel Barreto, White House Transportation Agency ✓

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Philadelphia International Airport

To: Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills

Event 30623

Appendix "D"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Reginald L. "Reggie" Love, Special Assistant and Personal Aide to the President

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations)

Peter "Pete" Souza, White House photographer

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GREETING WITH ELECTED OFFICIALS AND COMMUNITY

LEADERS

April 6, 2011

The Break Room

Gamesa Technology Corporation

Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania

Event 30636

Appendix "F"

Attendance confirmed by Travel
Log.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Tina Davis, Pennsylvania State Representative

Diane M. Ellis-Marseglia, Bucks County Commissioner

Steve Santarsiero, Pennsylvania State Representative

Josh Shapiro, Pennsylvania State Representative

Frank Snyder, Secretary-Treasurer, Pennsylvania AFL-CIO

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Factory landing zone, Fairless Hills

To: Philadelphia International Airport

Event 30639

Appendix "G"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Reginald L. "Reggie" Love, Special Assistant and Personal Aide to the President

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations)

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

To: Joint Base Andrews

Event 30641

Appendix "H"

Attendance not confirmed.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit ✓

Capt. Lori D. Carver, Nurse, White House Medical Unit ✓

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary ✓

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

To: Joint Base Andrews

Event 30641

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Senior Chief Petty Officer Alonzo Newbold, valet ✓

Master Sergeant Angel Barreto, White House Transportation Agency ✓

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: JFK International Airport

To: Wall Street landing zone

Event 30643

Appendix "I"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

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Peter "Pete" Souza, White House photographer

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Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Wall Street landing zone

To: JFK International Airport

Event 30658

Appendix "J"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Marvin D. Nicholson, Special Assistant and Trip Director, Advance Office

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations)

Peter "Pete" Souza, White House photographer

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Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: New York, New York

To: Joint Base Andrews

Event 30660

Appendix "K"

Attendance not confirmed.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Capt. Ronny L. Jackson, Physician, White House Medical Unit ✓

Capt. Lori D. Carver, Nurse, White House Medical Unit ✓

Capt. Joseph M. Uzpen, physician assistant, White House Medical Unit ✓

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary ✓

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations) ✓

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AIR FORCE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: New York, New York

To: Joint Base Andrews

Event 30660

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Reginald L. "Reggie" Love, Special Assistant and Personal Aide to the President ✓

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Angel Barreto, White House Transportation Agency ✓

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

April 6, 2011

From: Joint Base Andrews

To: South Grounds, White House

Event 30664

Appendix "L"

Attendance confirmed by Flight Manifest.

ATTENDEES:

The President

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Arun S. Chaudhary, White House videographer

Alyssa Mastromonaco, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Operations)

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BUDGET MEETING

April 6, 2011
The Oval Office

Event 33090

Appendix "M"

Attendance confirmed by Oval
Office Log.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Vice President Biden

William M. Daley, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Bruce N. Reed, Chief of Staff to the Vice President

Dan Pfeiffer, Assistant to the President and Director of Communications

Peter M. "Pete" Rouse, Counselor

David Plouffe, Assistant to the President and Senior Advisor

James F. "Jay" Carney, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Gene B. Sperling, Assistant to the President for Economic Policy and Director, National Economic Council

Jacob J. Lew, Director of the Office of Management and Budget

Robert L. "Rob" Nabors II, Assistant to the President and Director of Legislative Affairs

Nancy-Ann M. DeParle, Assistant to the President and Deputy Chief of Staff (Policy)

Stephanie T. Cutter, Assistant to the President and Deputy Senior Advisor

Philip M. Schiliro, Assistant to the President and Special Advisor

Wednesday, April 06, 2011

9:11 AM	10:03 Am	POTUS in situation room for Afghanistan SVTC, manifest per schedule
10:04 AM	11:05 AM	POTUS in Libya meeting in Situation Room, manifest per schedule
11:05 AM	11:08 AM	POTUS in with Daley
11:09 AM	11:29 AM	POTUS works alone in oval
11:30 AM		POTUS in with Rob Nabors and Plouffe
11:35 AM		Daley enters
11:36 AM	11:42 AM	POTUS on phone with Senator Reid
11:46 AM	11:50 AM	POTUS on phone with Speaker Boehner
11:50 AM		Daley, Nabors and Plouffe exit
12:25	12:35	Lift from South Lawn to JBA
12:45	1:20	Wheels up from JBA to Philadelphia International
1:20	1:25	Arrive / Greet / Rope line
1:25	1:44	Lift from Philadelphia International Airport to Factory Landing Zone
1:47	1:50	En Route Gamesa Wind PA, LLC 1. POTUS 2. Reggie
1:50	1:54	Arrive Gamesa Wind PA, LLC / Greet
1:54	2:02	[REDACTED]
2:05	2:21	Town Hall with Gamesa Workers - Remarks
2:21	3:04	Question & Answer with Workers
3:04	3:10	Rope line
3:10	3:15	Police/Fire/Motorcade Driver Photos - Elected officials and Community Leaders Photo Line (The following didn't show) 1. James Kenney 2. David Chermol 3. Billy Coe 4. Lewis Dopson 5. Joshua Sevin 6. Steven Wray
3:17	3:20	En Route Factory Landing Zone 1. POTUS 2. Reggie
3:25	3:57	Lift from Factory Landing Zone to Philadelphia
4:05	5:00	Wheels up from Philadelphia International Airport to JFK
5:05	5:24	Lift from JFK International Airport to Wall Street Landing Zone
5:25	5:40	En Route Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers

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		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. POTUS 2. Reggie
5:42	5:44	Arrive Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers
5:50	6:00	Photo Line with Vip Guest and Award Honoree's
6:05	6:26	Remarks at National Action Networks 20 th Annual Gala
6:26	6:30	Police/Motorcade Drive Photos / Staff Picture <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Michael Blake and Mother 2. Maju Spouse and daughter
6:37	6:50	En Route Wall Street Landing Zone <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. POTUS 2. Reggie
6:55	7:15	Lift to JFK International
7:25	8:00	Wheels up to JBA
8:43 PM	9:06 PM	POTUS in with Daley, VPOTUS, Reed, Dan, Rouse, Plouffe, Carney, Gene, Jack Lew, Rob Nabors, Nancy Ann, Cutter, Phil
9:07 PM		POTUS in with VPOTUS, Boehner, Reid in oval
9:33 PM		POTUS in dining room with VPOTUS, Boehner, Reid, Nabors, Jack Lew, Barry Jackson, David Krone
10:31 PM		Reid, Boehner, Barry Jackson, David Krone exit
10:31 PM		POTUS in with VPOTUS, Lew, Nabors, Daley
10:35 PM		Carney, Plouffe, Dan, Cutter enter
10:38 PM		Nabors and Lew exit
10:41 PM		POTUS goes to briefing room for statement
10:47 PM	10:51 PM	POTUS with Daley and VPOTUS in hallway
10:52 PM		POTUS departs

Carter, Debbie G.

From: Anderson, Brooke
Sent: Tuesday, April 05, 2011 3:21 PM
To: #WHSR
Cc: #HOS
Subject: LIBYA CALLS ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

WHSR:

Please invite and build a secure phone call on Libya with POTUS for Wednesday and Thursday.

On Wednesday, the call will be at 10:20 am

On Thursday, the call will be at 10:05 a.m.

POTUS will do the call from the WHSR.

Participants are:

1. VP
2. Daley
3. Donilon
4. Gates
5. Flournoy
6. Mullen
7. Locklear
8. Panetta
9. Morell
10. Rice
11. Clinton
12. McDonough
13. Brennan
14. Blinken
15. Rhodes
16. Anderson

Many thanks, as always.

Brooke

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
PRESIDENTIAL CALL LOG
SIGNAL SWITCHBOARD

PRESIDENT BARACK H. OBAMA

Wednesday, April 06, 2011

CALLS PLACED OR RECEIVED	TIME			TO:	REMARKS
	Call Initiated	Parties Connect	Call Complete		
PLACED	4:14 PM	4:18 PM	4:22 PM	Mr. David A. Plouffe Office, Washington, D.C. <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 15px; margin: 5px 0;"></div>	Call Complete AF1 Via INMARSAT
				<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 60px; height: 20px; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">P6/b(6)</div>	

**THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON**

**PRESIDENTIAL CALL LOG
WHITE HOUSE SITUATION ROOM**

PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA

April 6, 2011

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	Call Initiated	Parties Connect	Call Complete		
Received	0909 EDT	0917 EDT	1002 EDT	Afghanistan President Karzai	SVTC
Received	1003 EDT	1004 EDT	1102 EDT	Secretary Clinton and Adm Locklear	Secure phone and SVTC

All times are POTUS local. If aboard AF1, times are POTUS local from point of departure.
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Appointment Info

Appointment #: 6639 U #: U97541 Room #: ew 100 Person to be Visited: ellie schaffer/POTUS

Requestor: ELLIE SCHAFER Requestor Phone: 62322

From Date/Time: 4/6/2011 10:30:00 AM Type of Appointment: Appointment

To Date/Time: 4/6/2011 11:59:00 PM Location: White House (WH)

Appointment Comments: INFORMATION REDACTED

USSS Comments: INFORMATION REDACTED

Visitor's Name	DOB	SSN	Status	Country
Chew, Wee P	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted
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Veran, Kean M	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted
Veran, Shaun N	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted
Roth, Mary R	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted

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MEETING BREAKDOWN FOR PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6TH, 2011

WASHINGTON, D.C → PHILADELPHIA, PA → FAIRLESS HILLS, PA → PHILADELPHIA, PA → NEW YORK CITY, NY → WASHINGTON, D.C

9:00 – 9:10 am

SVTC PREP

Location: Situation Room
POC: Brooke Anderson
Attendees: 3
PRESS: CLOSED

Participants:

1. Tom Donilon
2. Denis McDonough
3. Doug Lute

9:10 – 9:40 am

SVTC WITH PRESIDENT HAMID KARZAI OF AFGHANISTAN

Location: Situation Room
POC: Brooke Anderson
Attendees: 1
PRESS: CLOSED

Participants:

1. Tom Donilon

9:45 – 10:15 am

LIBYA MEETING

Location: Situation Room
POC: Brooke Anderson
Attendees: 16
PRESS: CLOSED

Participants:

1. VPOTUS
2. Secretary Hillary Clinton
3. Secretary Robert Gates
4. Bill Daley
5. Ambassador Susan Rice
6. Tom Donilon
7. John Brennan
8. Denis McDonough
9. Director Leon Panetta, CIA
10. General James Cartwright
11. Tony Blinken
12. Ben Rhodes
13. Brooke Anderson
14. Michele Flournoy, Under Secretary of Defense for Policy

15. Admiral Samuel Locklear
16. Mike Morrell, CIA

10:15 – 10:20 am **MOVE TO OVAL OFFICE**

10:20 – 10:35 am **PREP**
Location: Oval Office
POC: Awenate Cobbina
Attendees: TBD
PRESS: CLOSED
Note: Manifest will be confirmed in the morning

Participants:
** Pending**

10:35 – 11:50 am **HOLD FOR LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS//BUDGET MEETING OR CALLS**

Location: Oval Office
POC: Awenate Cobbina
Attendees: TBD
PRESS: CLOSED
Note: Manifest will be confirmed in the morning

Participants:
1. ** Pending**

11:50 – 12:00 pm **MAKE A WISH VISIT**

Location: Oval Office
POC: Ellie Schafer
Attendees: 4
PRESS: CLOSED//WH Official Photographer

Attendees:
1. Keane Veran- Wish Kid
2. Chew Peng Wee (Peggy)- Mother
3. Shaun Veran- Brother (18yrs old)
White House Staff
4. Ellie Schafer

12:10 – 12:15 pm **LOAD MARINE ONE**

12:15 – 12:25 pm **LIFT FROM SOUTH LAWN TO JBA**

Aircraft: VH-3D
PRESS: OPEN

Marine One (VH-3D)	Nighthawk 2 (VH-3D)
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12:25 – 12:30 pm **ARRIVE JBA//LOAD AIR FORCE ONE**

12:30 – 1:15 pm **WHEELS UP FROM JBA TO PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

Aircraft: VC-25 747
Flight time: 45 minutes//45 minutes on the clock
Note: Lunch on plane

Air Force 1 Manifest	
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1:15 – 1:20 pm **ARRIVE PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT//ARRIVAL GRETTS//LOAD MARINE ONE**

Site: Andrew Mwavua
PRESS: OPEN
Greeted by:
- Mayor Michael Nutter

1:20 – 1:40 pm **LIFT FROM PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO FACTORY LANDING ZONE**

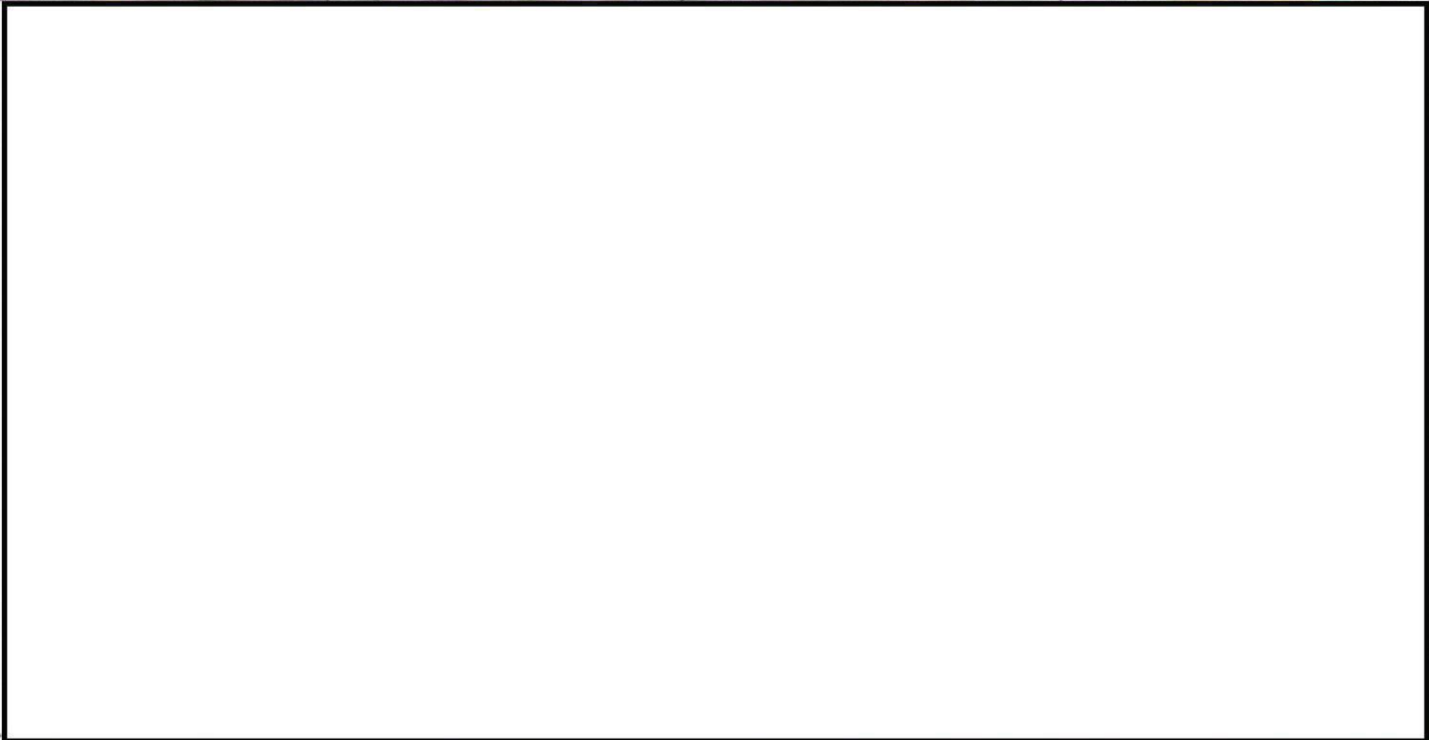
Lift time: 20 minutes

Marine 1: VH-3

Nighthawk 2: VH-3

Nighthawk 3: CH-53

Nighthawk 4: CH-53



1:40 – 1:45 pm

ARRIVE FACTORY LANDING ZONE//LOAD MOTORCADE

Site: Ben Solomon
PRESS: POOL

1:45– 1:50 pm

EN ROUTE GAMESA WIND PA, LLC



1:50 – 1:55 pm

ARRIVE GAMESA WIND PA, LLC//ARRIVAL GREET//MOVE TO TBD

Location: Gamesa Wind PA, LLC
400 Gamesa Drive
Fairless Hills, PA 19030

POTUS Hold: Tony Belles's Office
Staff Hold: Nacelle Trailer
Site: Nicole Lynch
PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

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Greeted by:

- Dirk Matthys- Chief Executive Officer, Gamesa Technology Corporation
- Luis M. Fernandez- Chief Corporate Officer- Gamesa Technology Corporation
- Arthur S. Whittemore, III- Chief Financial Officer, Gamesa Technology Corporation
- Alfred Richter- Plant Manager, Gamesa Technology Corporation

1:55 – 2:05 pm

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2:05 – 2:10 pm

MOVE TO FACTORY FLOOR

2:10 – 3:25 pm

TOWN HALL WITH GAMESA WORKERS

Location: Gamesa Wind PA, LLC

Room: Factory Floor

Attendees: 500

Site: Nicole Lynch

Setup: YOU deliver remarks from the Falcon Toast Lectern set on 16 by 16 stage. Head-on shot will be factory machinery and large United States flag. Cut-shot will be finished Nacelle. Guests will be seated theater style.

Sound/Podium: FTL with wired mics

Remarks: Prepared

Teleprompter: YES

PRESS: OPEN

Format:

- VOG announces YOU to stage
- YOU proceed to podium and deliver prepared remarks
- Following remarks, YOU participate in Q&A with workers
- At the conclusion of Q&A, YOU work a rope line from left to right
- YOU depart

3:25 – 3:30 pm

POLICE//FIRE//MOTORCADE DRIVER PHOTOS

Location: Break room
 Site: Nicole Lynch
 PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

3:30 – 3:40 pm

ELECTED OFFICIALS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS PHOTO LINE

Location: Gamesa Wind PA, LLC
 Room: Break Room
 Attendees: 11
 Staff: Joe Paulsen
 Site: Nicole Lynch
 Setup: Push and pull photo line
 PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

Participants:

Elected Officials

- Tina Davis, Representative (D - Bucks County, PA)
- Diane M. Ellis-Marseglia, Commissioner (Bucks County)
- James Kenney, City Councilmember (D - Philadelphia)
- Steve Santarsiero, Representative (D - Bucks County, PA)
- Josh Shapiro, Representative (D - Montgomery County)

Community Leaders

- David Chermol, Founding and Lead Partner, Chermol & Fishman, LLC
- Billy Coe, Student
- Lewis "Spike" Dopson, AFL-CIO
- Joshua Sevin, Deputy Director, The Economy League
- Frank Snyder, Secretary-Treasurer of the Pennsylvania AFL-CIO
- Steven Wray, Executive Director, The Economy League

3:45 – 3:50 pm

EN ROUTE FACTORY LANDING ZONE

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3:50 – 3:55 pm

ARRIVE FACTORY LANDING ZONE//LOAD MARINE ONE

Site: N/A
PRESS: POOL

3:55 – 4:15 pm

**LIFT FROM FACTORY LANDING ZONE TO PHILADELPHIA
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**
Lift time: 20 minutes

Marine 1: VH-3	Nighthawk 2: VH-3	Nighthawk 3: CH-53	Nighthawk 4: CH-53

4:15 – 4:20 pm

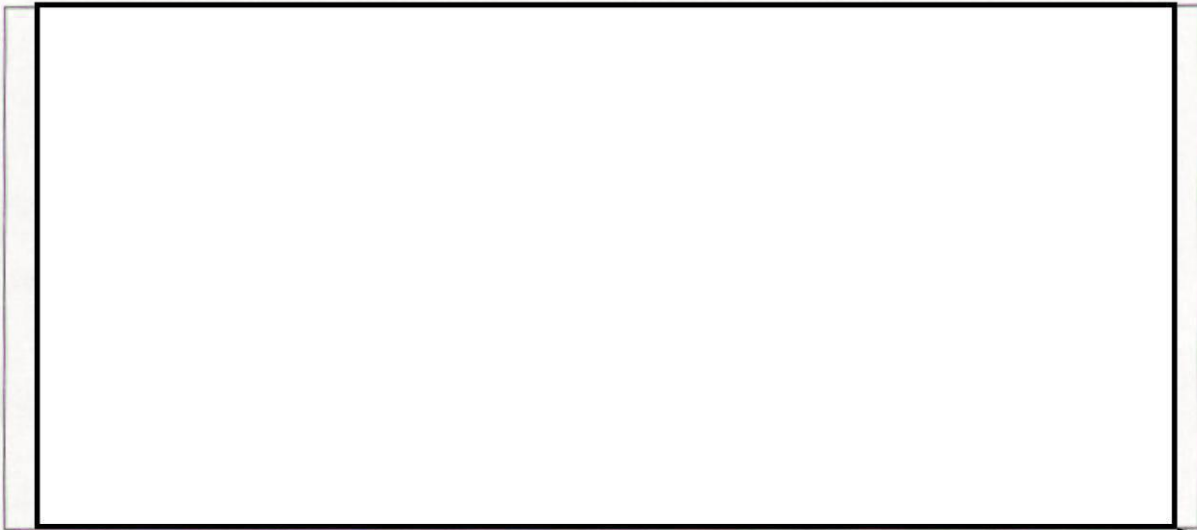
ARRIVE PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL//LOAD AIR FORCE ONE
Site: Andrew Mwavua
PRESS: OPEN

4:20 – 5:00 pm

**WHEELS UP FROM PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO
JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**
Aircraft: VC-25 747
Flight time: 40 minutes//40 minutes on the clock

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Air Force 1 Manifest



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5:00 – 5:05 pm **ARRIVE JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT//LOAD MARINE ONE**
Site: Christa Hall
PRESS: OPEN

5:05 – 5:25 pm **LIFT FROM JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO WALL STREET LANDING ZONE**
Lift time: 20 minutes

Marine 1: VH-3	Nighthawk 2: VH-3	Nighthawk 3: CH-46	Nighthawk 4: CH-46

5:25 – 5:30 pm **ARRIVE WALL STREET LANDING ZONE//LOAD MOTORCADE**
Site: Anna Markowitz
PRESS: POOL

5:30- 5:45 pm

EN ROUTE SHERATON NEW YORK HOTEL AND TOWERS

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5:45 - 5:50 pm

ARRIVE SHERATON NEW YORK HOTEL AND TOWERS//ARRIVAL

GREET:

Location: Sheraton New York Hotel
811 7th Ave
New York, NY 10019

POTUS Hold: Central Park West

Staff Hold: Central Park West

Site: Malcolm Eve

PRESS: CLOSED

Greeted by:

- Mark Sanders- General Manager, Sheraton New York

5:50 - 6:05 pm

PHOTO LINE WITH VIP GUESTS AND AWARD HONOREE'S

Location: Sheraton New York Hotel

Room: Lenox Ballroom

Attendees: 23

Staff: Bobby Schmuck

Site: Malcolm Eve

Setup: Push and Pull photo line

PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

Clicks:

- Rev. Al Sharpton- President & Founder-NAN
- Rev. Al Shartpon, Dominique and Ashley Sharpton (Daughters)
- Dr. William Franklyn Richardson- Chairman of NAN Board
- Jim Brown- Football Legend (Keepers of the Dream honoree)
- Monique Brown- Spouse of Jim Brown
- David Cohen- Executive Vice President, Comcast Corporation
- William "Bill" Cosby
- George Gresham- President, Local 1199 SEIU
- Sandra Gresham- Spouse of George Gresham
- Phil Griffin- President-MSNBC (Keepers of the Dream honoree)
- Michael Hardy- Executive Vice President, NAN
- David Jefferson Sr.- CEO and President, JNET Communications, LLC
- Ervin "Magic" Johnson- NBA Legend (Keepers of the Dream honoree)
- Alfred Liggins- CEO, TV One/Radio One
- Paula Madison- Executive, National Broadcasting Company
- Tamika Mallory- Executive Director, NAN

- Lamell McMorris- NAN Board, CEO, Perennial Strategy Group (Keeper of the Dream honoree)
- Bertha McMorris- Spouse of Lamell
- Sylvia Rhone- President, Motown Records
- Latanya Richardson Jackson- Actress and Philanthropist (Keepers of the Dream honoree)
- Lee Saunders- Secretary-Treasurer, AFL-CIO
- Rev. J. Lawrence Turner- Secretary, NAN Board, Community Baptist Church, New Haven, CT

6:05 – 6:45 pm

REMARKS AT NATIONAL ACTION NETWORKS 20TH ANNUAL GALA

Location: Sheraton New York Hotel
 Room: Metropolitan Ballroom
 Attendees: 1,100
 Site: Malcolm Eve
 Setup: YOU deliver remarks from the Blue Goose Podium set on 12 by 12 stage. Head-on shot is MLK logo, United States and Presidential flag in front of blue drape. Cut-on shot will be National Action Network Banner. Guests will be seated at round tables
 Sound/Podium: Blue Goose Podium with wired mics
 Remarks: Prepared
 Teleprompter: YES
 PRESS: OPEN

Format:

Pre-program

- Ms. Aubrey Dubois performs the national anthem and black national anthem
- Rev. W. Franklyn Richardson introduces Rev. Al Sharpton

Program

- Rev. Al Sharpton delivers brief remarks and introduces YOU
- YOU deliver prepared remarks
- Following remarks, YOU work a rope line from left to right
- YOU depart

6:45 – 6:50 pm

POLICE//MOTORCADE DRIVER PHOTOS

Location: Central Park East
 Site: Malcolm Eve
 PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

6:55 – 7:10 pm

EN ROUTE WALL STREET LANDING ZONE

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7:10 – 7:15 pm

ARRIVE WALL STREET LANDING ZONE//LOAD MARINE ONE

Site: N/A
PRESS: POOL

7:15 – 7:35 pm

LIFT FROM WALL STREET LANDING ZONE TO JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Lift time: 20 minutes

Marine 1: VH-3	Nighthawk 2: VH-3	Nighthawk 3: CH-46	Nighthawk 4: CH-46

7:35 – 7:40 pm

ARRIVE JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT//LOAD AIR FORCE ONE

PRESS: POOL

7:40 – 8:35 pm

WHEELS UP FROM JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO JBA

Aircraft: VC-25 747
Flight time: 55 minutes//55 minutes on the clock

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Air Force 1 Manifest



8:35 – 8:40 pm **ARRIVE JBA//LOAD MARINE ONE**

8:40 – 8:50 pm **LIFT FROM SOUTH LAWN TO JBA**
Aircraft: VH-3D
PRESS: OPEN

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Marine One (VH-3D)	Nighthawk 2 (VH-3D)

9:00 pm **HOLD FOR POSSIBLE MEETING (T)**

RON **WHITE HOUSE**

Re: Phone calls

Carter, Debbie G.

From: Amstutz, Brian A. (Contractor)
Sent: Wednesday, April 06, 2011 1:46 PM
Subject: Press Gaggle by Press Secretary Jay Carney aboard Air Force One en route Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

April 6, 2011

PRESS GAGGLE BY
PRESS SECRETARY JAY CARNEY

Aboard Air Force One
En Route Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

1:06 P.M. EDT

MR. CARNEY: So, here we are flying to Philadelphia. I'm here to gaggle. And I just wanted to quickly brief you on phone calls the President made this morning to Senator Reid and to Speaker Boehner. He had good conversations with both leaders, got an update on negotiations over funding for fiscal year 2011, and will monitor progress as the day progresses -- as the day continues, and will -- he'll call another meeting at the White House if he believes that that's required. But for now, he was just getting an update.

Q Can you provide an update on the thinking from the White House now on a short-term CR just until they can finalize these negotiations?

MR. CARNEY: What the President said yesterday is what his position is today, which is that he would entertain a essentially clean, very short-term CR if there were an agreement entrain and all that was necessary was a few more days to essentially file the paperwork and get it through the process on Capitol Hill.

Q Jay, the President said yesterday that he would call another meeting today if there wasn't an agreement yesterday, and then the next day if there wasn't an agreement --

MR. CARNEY: No, he said if there wasn't progress. And we all -- you all have reported that there has been some progress in these conversations, in these meetings. And that's good, obviously -- not an agreement, but progress. And he will monitor the progress or lack thereof on the Hill and will call a meeting if he thinks it's necessary.

Q With that said --

Q -- his speech to come back for the meeting?

MR. CARNEY: He'll call a meeting at whatever hour of the day is necessary if he believes that progress is not being made, because we are very close to a situation that would bring about a shutdown in government. And he thinks it would be the -- highly unnecessary and the height of irresponsibility to not get an agreement when agreement is so clearly within reach.

We are, as we talked about yesterday, the Democrats and the President have shown -- demonstrated a willingness to move more than halfway towards the Republicans, willingness to accept the largest domestic discretionary spending cuts in history, discretionary spending cuts that represent the largest cuts as a percentage of GDP since 1982, cuts in programs that in an ideal world he would not want to have to make.

So he's -- but also he's laid out his priorities and the choices that he thinks face us now as we are in these final stages of negotiations.

Q Will the President still go to New York even if he needs to call a meeting?

MR. CARNEY: We have no -- well, that's an "if, if" question, a speculative question. We have no plans to change our schedule. As I said, if a meeting needed to be called -- and as of now, there are reports of progress on the Hill. So I'm not saying -- I'm not saying a meeting will happen or not happen today. It may happen tomorrow if necessary. Or as he said, if he needs to meet tomorrow, he'll meet tomorrow. If he needs to meet today, he'll meet today, Thursday, Friday, as the President said yesterday.

Q Is he going to talk about that in either appearance today, about the budget negotiations?

MR. CARNEY: I don't want to anticipate what he'll say. The trip to Philadelphia, he'll have a town hall meeting to talk about things that Americans really care about as opposed to bickering in Washington over very small -- small ball.

Q Right, but they care about whether the government will shut down or not, right?

MR. CARNEY: Well, they care about gas prices and they care about how energy prices affect their livelihoods and they care deeply about an energy policy that would reduce our dependence on foreign oil in the long term so that we don't have these kind of situations, the shock that people get when prices go up at the gas pump like they have.

So I think that most Americans would -- you would find are much more worried about that than they are about CR FY2011 budget negotiations.

Q Can I just ask one more -- on the wire, it said, right before we took off, that "U.S. official says Qaddafi appeals to Obama in a letter to halt NATO campaign." Can you -- do you have anything on that, Jay?

MR. CARNEY: Well, we can confirm that there was a letter, but obviously not the first. And the issue of a ceasefire is, as the President made clear when he announced his decision a number of weeks ago, is that it's not a question of the conditions to -- the conditions the President laid out were clear, which is action, not words -- cessation of violence, withdrawal from the cities and the menacing sort of positions that the Qaddafi forces had taken. And I would just leave it at that, that words are different from actions.

Q Did he talk to President Karzai this morning about the Koran burning?

MR. CARNEY: He did have a SVTC with President Karzai, but I don't have a readout on the meeting.

Q Will there be a readout later, do you think?

MR. CARNEY: I'll have to check. I don't know.

Q Just real quickly back to the budget, would Democrats and the White House accept a \$40 billion tax cut package if it did include the riders?

MR. CARNEY: I'm not going to negotiate the elements of an agreement. What I would say is \$40 billion is \$80 billion; 33 is 73 -- \$73 billion, which the President and the Democrats have shown that they are willing to accept, is a great deal more than halfway towards the Republicans. It is also the very amount of spending cuts that the Speaker of the House, the leader of the Republican Party in the House, and the chairman of the House Republican Appropriations Committee identified initially as their target, their goal -- \$73 billion, largest cuts in history.

So that's our position and we believe that what separates us here is not a question about who is for spending cuts and who is not, but an issue over choices made that are -- need to be made in terms of what the composition of those cuts are and choices that we think are -- need to be made based on priorities like funding for education, funding for medical research, funding for Head Start, and not, as I've said before, funding for highway earmarks or military spending that the Pentagon has already said it does not want and does not need.

So those are the choices we believe are on the table.

Q Thank you.

MR. CARNEY: Thanks, guys.

END

1:13 P.M. EDT

Carter, Debbie G.

From: Suntum, Peggy (Contractor)
Sent: Wednesday, April 06, 2011 11:09 PM
Subject: Remarks by the President on Budget Talks

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

April 6, 2011

REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT
ON BUDGET TALKS

James S. Brady Press Briefing Room

10:44 P.M. EDT

THE PRESIDENT: Good evening, everybody. I'm going to just have a few quick remarks.

We just had a productive meeting with Speaker Boehner, as well as Majority Leader Reid. We discussed the impasse that we're currently at with respect to the budget, and I thought the meetings were frank, they were constructive, and what they did was narrow the issues and clarify the issues that are still outstanding.

I remain confident that if we're serious about getting something done we should be able to complete a deal and get it passed and avert a shutdown. But it's going to require a sufficient sense of urgency from all parties involved. It means that people have to recognize that a government shutdown has real consequences for real people.

There was a interview that was done tonight on one of the nightly news networks -- a man from Kentucky named J.T. Henderson. He said he's counting on his tax rebate because his family has been scraping by, and he might not get it if the government shuts down. So J.T. said if he could speak directly to all of us in Washington he'd tell us that all of this political grandstanding has effects as it trickles down to normal, everyday Americans.

I could not have said it better myself. A shutdown could have real effects on everyday Americans. That means that small business owners who are counting on that loan to open their business, to make payroll, to expand, suddenly they can't do it. It means folks who are potentially processing a mortgage, they may not be able to get it. It means that hundreds of thousands of workers across the country suddenly are without a

paycheck. Their families are counting on them being able to go to work and do a good job.

There are ramifications all across this economy. And at a time when the economy is still coming out of an extraordinarily deep recession, it would be inexcusable, given the relatively narrow differences when it comes to numbers between the two parties, that we can't get this done.

So my expectation is that folks are going to work through the night. In the morning I will check in with the respective staffs of the Speaker and the Majority Leader, as well as my team here. If we haven't made progress, we're going to go back at it again. And we're going to keep on pounding away at this thing because I'm absolutely convinced that we can get this done.

There's no reason why we should not be able to complete a deal. There's no reason why we should have a government shutdown -- unless we've made a decision that politics is more important than folks like J.T. Henderson.

That's not why we we're elected. That's not why we were sent here. And I want to meet the expectations of the American people in terms of delivering for them.

All right? Thank you very much, everybody.

END

10:46 P.M. EDT

Carter, Debbie G.

From: White House Press Office [noreply@messages.whitehouse.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 06, 2011 5:02 PM
To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: UPDATED: DAILY GUIDANCE AND PRESS SCHEDULE FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2011

UPDATED: The President and the Vice President will meet with Speaker John Boehner and Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid to discuss ongoing negotiations on a funding bill to bring us through the end of the fiscal year.

8:45PM THE PRESIDENT and THE VICE PRESIDENT meet with Speaker John Boehner and Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid to discuss ongoing negotiations on a funding bill

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Closed Press*

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
April 5, 2011

**DAILY GUIDANCE AND PRESS SCHEDULE FOR
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2011**

In the morning, the President will receive the Presidential Daily Briefing in the Oval Office. This meeting is closed press.

In the afternoon, the President will travel to the Philadelphia area. The departure from the South Lawn and the arrival at the Philadelphia International Airport are open press. The President will visit Gamesa Technology Corporation in Fairless Hills, where he will hold a town hall discussion with workers about building a 21st century clean energy economy to win the future. The President will discuss his long-term plan to protect consumers against rising oil prices and decrease oil imports as well as key components of his broader energy plan to diversify all of our energy sources, ensuring a cleaner, safer, and more secure energy future. The President's town hall discussion is open press.

Later in the afternoon, the President will travel to New York, New York. The departure from Philadelphia International Airport and the arrival at John F. Kennedy International Airport are open press.

In the evening, the President will deliver remarks at the National Action Network's Keepers of the Dream Awards Gala, hosted by Reverend Al Sharpton and the National Action Network, at the Sheraton New York Hotel. The President's remarks are pooled for TV and open to correspondents and still photographers

Carter, Debbie G.

From: Nielsen, Jennifer D. (Contractor)
Sent: Wednesday, April 06, 2011 4:37 PM
Subject: Remarks by the President in a Town Hall Discussion on Energy

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

April 6, 2011

REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT
IN A TOWN HALL DISCUSSION ON ENERGY

Gamesa Technology Corporation
Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania

2:04 P.M. EDT

THE PRESIDENT: Thank you so much. Everybody, please have a seat, have a seat.

Hello, Fairless Hills! Hello, Gamesa! It is good to be here. I was here three years ago. I was then a candidate -- how many folks were here at the time? Anybody remember? (Applause.) We had a good visit. I signed a blade, I think, while I was here. I didn't have as much gray hair back then. (Laughter.) You guys still look great. I'm a little worn down.

It is great to be back, and I love visiting places where people are actually making stuff, because that's what America is about. Everybody here, you are helping to build towers that are going to stand 400 feet in the air and generate enough electricity to power 600 homes. And the blades alone are 140 feet long, so these aren't your father's windmills. These are wind turbines. You guys are not messing around. This is the future of American energy.

So I wanted to come back partly because over the last two years since I've been President, just as I promised when I was here as a candidate, I have been promoting and boosting clean energy. I think it's absolutely critical for our future. And it's also nice to be next to cool products.

I think that what you do here is a glimpse of the future, and it's a future where America is less dependent on foreign oil, more reliant on clean energy produced by workers like you. And I know that this is -- this whole issue of energy is on the minds of a lot of people right now, partly because you're paying more at the pump. Anybody notice that? You noticed that a little bit.

The fact is, for a lot of folks, money was already tight before gas prices started climbing, especially for some families where the husband or the wife had been out of work or you've had to get by with fewer customers or hours on the job. Having high gas prices is just one more added burden.

But I want everybody to remember, every time gases go up, we see the same pattern. Washington gets all worked up, just like clockwork. Republicans and Democrats both start making a lot of speeches. Usually the Democrats blame the Republicans; the Republicans blame the Democrats. Everybody is going in front of the cameras and they've got some new three-point plan to promise two-dollar-a-gallon gas. And then nothing happens. And then gas prices go down, and then suddenly it's not in the news anymore and everybody forgets about it until the next time gas prices go back up again.

That's what was happening when I was running three years ago. You remember "Drill, baby, drill"? That was because the economy was overheated, gas prices were skyrocketing, and everybody made a lot of speeches but not much happened. And I said then that we can't afford to continue this kind of being in shock when gas prices go up and then suddenly being in a trance when things go back down again. We've got to have a sustained energy policy that is consistent, that recognizes that there's no magic formula to driving gas prices down; it's a steady improvement in terms of how we use energy and where we get energy from -- that's what's going to make a difference. That's how we're going to secure our energy future.

So last week I laid out a vision of how we could do this. It's a plan that says we're not going to play the usual Washington politics that have prevented progress on energy for decades. Instead, what we're going to do is we're going to take every good idea out there. Whether you're Republican or Democrat, whatever the idea. From environmentalists. From oil men like T. Boone Pickens. I want to have a comprehensive energy strategy that can help us move forward. And that means we've got to pursue every breakthrough, every renewable resource, every technology, every approach to change the way we produce and use energy.

And through this plan, what we want to do is promote all kinds of homegrown energy. That's what's going to help us secure our energy future. That's what's going to help us win the future.

Now, first of all, what I want to do is, in a decade, I want us to have cut by one-third the amount of oil that we imported when I was elected to this office. I want to cut our energy imports by a third.

Now, understand why that's so important, because when you see what happens in the Middle East, and suddenly the world oil markets get spooked, even if the supply is there, your gas prices are going to go up. The less we import, the more control we have over what happens at the pump.

Second, through sources like wind energy, produced in part by your turbines, I want us to double the amount of electricity that we draw from clean sources. I want us to double it. And that means by 2035, 80 percent of our electricity will come from renewables like wind and solar, as well as efficient natural gas, clean coal, nuclear power. We can do that.

And by the way, that would make a huge difference here at Gamesa. This is an approach that says we're not going to pick one energy source over another. What we do is we set a target, an achievable goal, and then we give industry the flexibility to achieve it. We say to the utilities, you've got to get this much energy from renewable sources, and then wind is competing with solar is competing with natural gas. And there's a healthy competition out there, and everybody starts getting better at what they do because you're producing more and you know you've got a reliable customer for it.

So we're cutting oil imports by a third. We're going to get 80 percent of our electricity from clean sources. And if we follow through on this, if we actually tackle this challenge, here's what will happen. Our economy will be less vulnerable to wild swings in oil prices. Our nation will no longer be beholden to the countries that we now rely on for oil imports. We won't be sending billions of dollars a day to the Middle East. We can potentially keep some of that invested right here at home.

We'll reduce the pollution that's disrupting our climate and threatening the planet that we leave for our children and our grandchildren. We'll become more energy independent. And we'll spark innovation and entrepreneurship across America. We will be more likely to win the global competition for new jobs and new industries -- because I don't know about you, I don't want China to be the world's leading wind power manufacturer. I want the United States to be the leading manufacturer of wind power. I want it made right here in the U.S. of A. (Applause.)

Same thing goes with solar, same thing goes -- whatever energy source, I want us to be the best. That's how we'll win the future. But we're going to have to out-innovate the world. And this plant is a good example. For decades, this was part of steel country. Thousands went to work in the old buildings that lined these streets, forging the metal that built our trains and our ships and our cars and our skyscrapers.

But you know the story. The economy changed. Those jobs vanished. A lot of empty factories started lining these same streets.

But this company brought jobs back to these floors. Buildings that were dark, they're now humming again. We got more than 250 people on the job at these plants and 800 workers across the state. And Gamesa has partnered with Bucks County Community College to create a Green Jobs Academy that serves as a pipeline for new workers as the company expands. And there are other companies pursuing clean energy along these streets as well.

This has made a difference in this community. It's made a difference for folks like Jim Bauer. Is Jim around? Where's Jim? There's Jim right there. (Applause.) Hey, Jim! See, I heard about Jim because he lost his job when the mills closed, but then he'd be pretty soon working again in the shadow of where he spent 25 years in the steel industry. Now he's here.

And there was a quote that we got from Jim. He said, "I was forced into retirement" -- "after I was forced into retirement, nobody would hire me for any kind of decent money. Then I saw an ad looking for steelworkers to join Gamesa, and now I'm happy to contribute to something that's important." (Applause.)

And that -- there are a lot of folks out there like Jim who are hardworking, have great skills, but maybe haven't gotten a chance. And there's no reason why they can't be working in a place that's doing some important things.

But times are still tough. A lot of people out there are still looking for work. And I'll be honest with you, not every manufacturing job that used to be here from the steel companies are going to come back -- because if you go to a steel plant now these days, it may take 10 workers to produce what it used to take 100 workers to produce, just because of automation and new technologies. But Jim's story should give us hope. It should give us some idea of the promise of clean energy for our country.

Let me just say this one last thing and then I want to take some questions. None of this is going to be easy. When people -- when politicians tell you something's going to be easy, they're not telling you the truth. If it was easy, somebody would have already done it and taken credit for it, and had a photo op. Reducing our dependence on oil, doubling the clean energy we use, helping to grow our economy by securing our energy future -- that's going to be a big challenge. And it's going to require effort. It's going to require ingenuity. It's going to require us coming together. It's going to require us getting past some of the petty politics that we play sometimes. But we can meet that challenge.

We're not going to always agree with each other on everything. We live in a big country. We've got a robust democracy, and that's fine. But we should agree on some basic things. We should be able to agree on developing clean energy and reducing our dependence on foreign oil. We should be able to agree that we need to invest in things like our roads and our bridges and our infrastructure -- because we used to have the best infrastructure in the world, and we don't right now; other countries have gone past us. And if we were investing in our infrastructure we'd be putting more people to work.

You know, I don't expect everybody to always agree with me. But coming here today, I was reminded of what I said right here three years

ago, back when it wasn't sure that I was going to win the election. I mean, you guys couldn't pronounce my name. (Laughter.) But here's what I said. I said, "I am not a perfect man and I will not be a perfect president. But I can promise you this: I will always tell you where I stand. I will be honest with you about the challenges we face and how we can solve these problems. And I will take what I hear from you -- your voices, your struggles, your hopes, your dreams -- that's what I'm going to be thinking about every single day when I'm in the White House." And I have kept that promise. (Applause.) I have kept that promise. I'm thinking about you guys every single day when I'm in the White House. And I'm going to keep pushing, and I'm going to keep fighting for you.

With all that's going on in the world, with all the challenges we're facing, that's what I think about every single day when I wake up -- what matters to you. I want to make sure everybody who wants a job can find one; everybody can pay their bills; everybody can raise their kids and give them a better life. And that's what all of us should be thinking about. Some of you may have heard the latest argument in Washington -- the fight over last year's budget. Keep in mind, we're not arguing about this year's budget, we're arguing about last year's budget. It makes it tough to win the future when you haven't passed the budget from last year.

So I asked Congress to send me a budget that makes some serious spending cuts but still invests in things like clean energy; still invests in research; still invests in infrastructure; still invests in education -- investments that are critical for us to be able to compete with any country in the world. That's what I asked for. I asked for it several months ago.

Now, after weeks of negotiations, we've now agreed to cut as much spending as the Republicans in Congress originally asked for. I've got some Democrats mad at me. But I said, you know what, let's get past last year's budget and let's focus on the future. So we've agreed to a compromise, but somehow we still don't have a deal, because some folks are trying to inject politics in what should be a simple debate about how to pay our bills. They're stuffing all kinds of issues in there -- abortion and the environment and health care. And, you know, there are times to have those discussions, but that time is not now. Right now, we need to just make sure that we pay our bills and that the government stays open. And if we don't reach common ground by Saturday, the federal government shuts down. And some of you may not be that sympathetic. You may say, well, let it shut down, what do I care? But here's the thing. When government shuts down, it means that that small business owner who's waiting to get a loan, suddenly nobody's there to process it. He may not get that loan and that business may not open. And whoever he was planning to hire, suddenly he may not have that job that he was counting on.

It may turn out that somebody who was trying to get a mortgage can't have their paperwork processed by the FHA and now the person who was going to sell the house, what they were counting on, they can't get it.

Folks who were planning a vacation to Yellowstone -- well, it turns out national parks, suddenly you're closed, you're out of luck. You may have to try to figure out if you can get your money back for that resort you were going to stay at.

I mean, these are things that affect ordinary families day in, day out, and it affects our economy right at the time when our economy is getting momentum. We had the best jobs report we had had in a very long time this past Friday. But you know what? Companies don't like uncertainty and if they start seeing that suddenly we may have a shutdown of our government, that could halt momentum right when we need to build it up -- all because of politics.

I do not want to see Washington politics stand in the way of America's progress. At a time when you're struggling to pay your bills and meet your responsibilities, the least we can do is meet our responsibilities to produce a budget. That's not too much to ask for. That's what the American people expect of us. That's what they deserve. You want everybody to act like adults, quit playing games, realize that it's not just "my way or the highway." How many folks are married here? When was the last time you just got your way? (Laughter.) That's not how it works, right? He lifted his wife's hand up -- (laughter) -- you know, no.

I mean, the fact is, is that you have to make compromises as a family. That's what we are, the American family. So Democrats and Republicans need to get together, work through their differences, keep the government running so we can focus on keeping this economy growing, focus on things like clean energy, driving down gas prices. That's our job. That's what people want to see -- results. You deserve no less than that.

So this is a challenging time for America, and we've been through the worst recession since I was -- before I was born. A lot of folks are still hurting out there. But if we come together, if we listen to each other, if we remember that we're one nation, that we're one people, then I'm confident that we're going to come out of this period stronger than we were before.

And what makes me confident is seeing all of you and seeing what I see all across America -- people who have drive and who have optimism and who are decent and do right by their families and do right by their communities. That's what's lifted us out of tough times before. That's what's going to carry forward America into the future.

So thank you, Gamesa, for the great work you're doing. And with that, let me take some questions. Appreciate you. Thank you. Thank you. (Applause.)

All right. We've got these wonderful volunteers who are -- have their mics and they're going to come up so that I can hear your question. This young man right here -- who had their hand up right -- right here, this gentleman. Introduce yourself, too.

Q Daniel Ream (ph), sir. In 2009, the Center for American Progress sponsored the National Clean Energy Project, in which they detailed the implementation of an efficient, high-voltage grid that would extend from coast to coast. Now our particular product can only apply to so many mountains, valleys, and regions before we run out of space. It's critical that this grid be established so we can continue to grow these green-collar jobs and maintain this product within our American shores. What's the current level of appropriations being provided for this particular endeavor, and how high a priority is it for your current Cabinet?

THE PRESIDENT: That was a good question there. (Laughter and applause.) I mean, is that how he talks all the time? (Laughter.) Man. I better take off my jacket. All right. (Laughter.) That was serious.

No, listen, it actually was a great question. I think a lot of you guys are aware, there are some places -- say, the Dakotas -- where it's flat and you've just got a lot of wind, but you may not have a lot of customers. And so the question for wind power and solar power and a lot of these renewable energy industries is if we're producing the energy one place, how do we get it to another place? And that's why this whole concept of a smart grid is really important. And a smart grid is just a fancy name for a better electricity grid than what we've got right now. Because the way it works right now, we've got this patchwork of all these different electricity grids and connectors, and there's all this leakage and a bunch of it was created decades ago so it's not particularly efficient.

And so the idea of a smart grid is, if you can hook up a national electricity grid that is state of the art and it has switches and computer monitors that are able to help regulate the flow of electricity to the places that need it when they need it, then you can save huge amounts of electricity, which means that your bills are lower. It means that we have to produce less energy per household or per business, which means we're sending less pollution into the air, whatever form of energy we're using. It means that renewable energies like solar and wind now have an advantage because you can get them from where they're being created to where they need to go. And because it's more efficient, there's less waste so you can actually store wind energy even when it's not windy, or solar energy even when it's not sunny. So this is a huge and important project.

It turns out that the challenge is not so much a money issue. When you said appropriations, you know, the question was, does -- are we going to -- is Congress going to put a lot of money into building this thing? It turns out, actually, that you could probably get a lot of private sector dollars to invest in a smart grid. The big challenge is actually all these different zoning laws because people don't want transmission lines, et cetera, in their vicinity, and each state and each local government has its own control about siting issues. And so you've got this patchwork instead of one national concept.

So what I've been trying to do -- and this wouldn't cost a lot of money -- is just to get governors, mayors, county officials, federal government all to sit down and figure out, how can we get this done? How can we get this done? And it may start just in certain sections of the country. So you'd have a smart grid in, let's say, the upper Midwest and then you'd have another smart grid in the Northeast. And you kind of build these bigger patchworks and then you kind of stitch them all together at the end.

We should be able to get this done, but it's going to require some organization and it requires cooperation from each of these different units of government than we've got right now. All right? Okay. And if you want to be a TV commentator, you let me know. (Laughter.)

All right. Who's next? Who's next? Gentleman right here.

Q How you doing, Mr. President?

THE PRESIDENT: I'm good.

Q My name is Jazz (ph). You were talking about the rise of gas prices. Is there any way that -- talks of lowering the prices? I mean, I know back in the '70s when we had this conflict, they were going from -- our license plates, from odd to evens, days we could get gas. I know we're not at that stage right now, but they did lower the prices after that. Is there a chance of the price being lowered again?

THE PRESIDENT: Well, let me go over what I said a little bit earlier. Most of the reason the gas price spiked three years ago was demand for oil increased. Then what happened was we had the terrible recession. A lot of businesses closed, a lot of folks were out of work, folks were driving fewer miles, so demand for oil goes down, prices went down. And by the way, oil prices are worldwide prices, so you don't just have like a U.S. market for oil -- you've got a world market for oil. Anything that happens anywhere in the world will lower the price.

So now the economy is picking up, which is a good thing. More folks are finding jobs. Businesses are starting to hire again. And that's happening all around the world. So now you're starting to see demand go back up and the prices are going back up. You add on top of that what's happening in the Middle East and it makes folks nervous and so these folks start saying, you know what, I'm going to bid a higher price on oil, on a barrel of oil now, because I'm thinking it's going to go up a little further in case something happens on the world oil markets. And that pushes prices up just a little bit more.

Now, there are a couple of things that we can do. But I'm just going to be honest with you, there's not much we can do next week or two weeks from now. What we can do is, for example, increase oil production here in the United States. So we are out there -- here's a little secret for you. We actually have seen higher oil production here in the United States than any time in our history. We are producing a lot of oil. It's

just demand keeps on going up faster than production. But we can still do more.

Now, we just had the Gulf crisis last summer when everything was messed up. And so what I had to do was I had to say, you know what, before we start drilling again out there, then I want you guys to show me proof that you can actually do this safely and when something goes wrong you can cap that thing so we're not going through six months of oil just spilling into the ocean and ruining coastal communities and hurting fishermen and so forth. We now have a situation where the safety rules have been improved and drilling is beginning again in that region. But the drilling that's taking place in the Gulf now, that product doesn't get to market right away.

We're also saying, you know, let's look in places like off the Atlantic or in Alaska. If there are other places where we can do some offshore drilling, we'll do it. But here's the thing about oil. We have about 2, maybe 3 percent of the world's proven oil reserves; we use 25 percent of the world's oil. So think about it. Even if we doubled the amount of oil that we produce, we'd still be short by a factor of five.

So we can't just drill our way out of the problem. And that's why the second thing we can do is increase efficiency on cars and trucks, which is where most of our oil is used. (Applause.) Now, I notice some folks clapped, but I know some of these big guys, they're all still driving their big SUVs. You know, they got their big monster trucks and everything. You're one of them? Well, now, here's my point. If you're complaining about the price of gas and you're only getting eight miles a gallon -- (laughter) -- you may have a big family, but it's probably not that big. How many you have? Ten kids, you say? Ten kids? (Laughter.) Well, you definitely need a hybrid van then. (Laughter.)

But here's the thing is that last year, for the first time in 30 years, we increased fuel-efficiency standards on cars and trucks. And we didn't do it, by the way, with a law. We got autoworkers, auto companies, environmentalists -- everybody agreed to it. That's going to save us about 1.8 billion barrels of oil. But we can do more. The more efficient our auto fleets are, the more efficient our truck fleets are, the less people are using -- that lowers gas prices as well. So that's the second thing we can do.

The third thing we can do is we can start looking at electric cars, and maybe natural gas cars, so that we're not just using petroleum to power our vehicles. That would be, by the way, a huge boost for Gamesa. If you've got a much better distribution network for electric cars -- right now, some of these electrics, you should be able to just plug it in into your garage; you basically just have a big socket. You plug it in at night, unplug it, you're driving it all day. You get home, you plug it back in, and if you've got one of these smart boxes in your garage, the unused electricity from your car actually goes back into your house. And so you're saving both ways.

But the problem is right now that we don't have a broad enough distribution network. The cost of advanced batteries for cars is still a little bit too expensive, so we're trying to drive down the price. It's like anything else, though; it's the same with your wind turbine, the same with wind energy -- the more you make, the cheaper it gets, because the technology improves, you're creating more of them, you get economies of scale.

So number one, increase oil production. But that's not a short -- that's not a long -- a short-term solution, and it's a not a long-term solution, either; it will just -- it will help a little bit. Number two, more efficient cars so we're using our gas more effectively. Number three, shifting to electric cars and other forms of transportation so we don't use oil as much.

None of that is going to help you this week, though. So, like I said, if you're getting eight miles a gallon you may want to think about a trade-in. You can get a great deal. I promise you, GM or Ford or Chrysler, they're going to be happy to give you a deal on something that gets you better gas mileage.

All right. Young lady right here.

Q Mr. President, I want to thank you for going to Latin America a couple weeks ago. And this is a great story where Ex-Im Bank and Gamesa worked together to supply over 50 turbines to Honduras, for example.

THE PRESIDENT: Right.

Q If you could elaborate more on your National Export Initiative, I think that that would be an amazing thing to talk about.

THE PRESIDENT: Well, that's a good point. You guys are selling some of your turbines overseas, partly because what's called the Export-Import Bank -- which is a government agency that helps businesses market to overseas markets -- hooked up with Gamesa and saw -- discovered this way where they could get into that market.

Now, one of the ways that we got in trouble before the recession was we were borrowing a lot of money to buy a lot of stuff from somebody else. Right? I mean, basically, what happened was we ran up our credit cards, we took out home equity loans, and we bought a lot of flat-screen TVs, and we bought a lot of whatever you all buy. (Laughter.) I didn't want to get personal in terms of all the things that you might have purchased. But a lot of it was made somewhere else. And that was great for China. That was great for some of these other countries that are exporting to the United States, but it wasn't very good for U.S. industry.

The way countries succeed over the long term is by making stuff and selling it to somebody else. (Applause.) So what -- my -- I set a goal. I said I want to double our exports. I want to double our exports over

the next five years and we can do it. We've already increased our exports by 18 percent. Now that's a good start, but that means we got another 80 percent to go. And that's where using something like the Export-Import Bank can be really important, because a lot of these other countries give a big advantage to their exporters. They help give them financing. They help them find markets. They negotiate deals for them. And my attitude is, well, if they're doing it for their companies I want to make sure we're doing it for our companies. And I want to make sure that goods that we're producing here in the United States get sold other places.

We've got the best technology. We've got the best workers in the world. But we are such a big market that a lot of times we've been focused more internally than thinking about how can we sell to other countries. And we can't be afraid of competition. We've got to go after it. All right?

Young lady right there. Yes, you.

Q Hi, my name is Singaza Bell (ph). Yes, my question is in light of what you just said. What of corporate tax incentives and R&D tax incentives that will make companies like Gamesa do their manufacturing here? Because it's one thing to have the knowledge base in the United States, but we really need manufacturing back here.

THE PRESIDENT: You're right, and the reason that companies locate in different places is complicated. A lot of it has to do with the fact that labor costs may be lower in some of these other countries, but a lot of it has to do with our tax code, which is kind of screwy.

On paper, we've got the highest tax -- one of the highest tax codes for corporations in the world -- on paper. But here's the catch, we have so many loopholes that it turns out you've got a whole bunch of companies who are paying no axes or barely paying taxes, or they keep their money in offshore accounts and it doesn't get reinvested back here in the United States of America.

So this is one of the reasons why I've said that I think it would make sense for us to reform our tax code, simplify it, lower the rate for corporations, but eliminate a bunch of the loopholes so that everybody is paying the same and it's fair.

Because what you pay in taxes should not depend on how good your lawyer is, or how good your accountant is. If you make a certain amount of money, that's what you should pay. And I think that same principle, by the way, we can apply to individuals as well. So one of the things I'm interested in is looking at tax reform. Ninety percent of you shouldn't even have to probably file a return.

The way electronics works these days, you should be able to -- with your W-2, it gets plugged in. It's on a computer somewhere. Here's your refund. You sign something electronically. It gets done.

Most people don't itemize. If you don't itemize, sending in some complicated return is just a waste of paperwork. And even if you do itemize, most of you probably it's your mortgage on your house -- interest payments on your mortgage and a couple other things. It shouldn't be some two-week ordeal.

And by the way, because sometimes folks will say, well, you don't have to do your taxes. Look, it's true, I don't do my taxes anymore. I've got other stuff that I've got to do. But it wasn't that long ago when I did do my taxes. I remember. It was terrible. (Laughter.) Just like I remember pumping gas. I don't pump gas anymore, but I remember what it was like when you filled it up and it turned out you didn't have as much money as you thought.

So I think we can actually simplify it. But on manufacturing, tax reform on the corporate side could make a difference. The other thing, though, is in terms of encouraging manufacturing, we've got to understand what our advantage is. See, we'll never compete in terms of low wages; there's always going to be someplace that has lower wages than we do. We're a wealthy country.

So if a company just wants to make plastic toys, we're just not going to be able to keep up with that. But when it comes to high-end, high-skilled jobs, those are the kind of manufacturing jobs we have to go after. And that's where research, innovation is so important. That's where on something like clean energy, making sure that there's a market for that clean energy is so important. That's what's going to produce manufacturing jobs -- making sure we've got a good smart grid. Those are the kinds of things that are going to make sure that we have the high-end manufacturing here in our country.

And I just want to introduce -- there's a guy right here, this guy, I'm going to embarrass him. His name is Ron Bloom. Ron is actually the guy who helped us save the auto industry. He helped to design our program to make sure that G.M. and Chrysler did not get liquidated and did not go under. And by the way, I don't know if you guys heard, a couple weeks back G.M. said it was now going to hire back every single worker that had been laid off. Every single worker that had been laid off. (Applause.)

So Ron is now working to develop manufacturing strategies for every industry around the country, and he's doing great work. And I'm sure he's going to be talking to the folks here at Gamesa and others in terms of finding ways that we can increase manufacturing here in the United States all across the country.

All right, gentleman right here.

Q David Campbell (ph). My question is in regards to the ITC and the PTC -- the investment tax credit and the production tax credit, renewable energy. It's somewhat known that the large energy developers act somewhat volatile depending on the looming deadlines in some of the provisions in those tax credits. And they have been known, and they've

been spoken on in the industry as being helpful. Can you just speak on how your administration plans to support that or plans to continue to support it because you already are?

THE PRESIDENT: We want to make them permanent so that people aren't looking every few years to try to figure out is this investment going to be there for us. (Applause.)

I want to kick-start this industry. I want to make sure we've got good customers, and I want to make sure that there's the financing there so that we can meet that demand. And there's no reason why we can't do both, but it does require us getting past some of these political arguments.

I don't understand why some folks think that if you promote clean energy that somehow you're some pointy-headed, environmentalist type, but if you're all about just drilling and getting more oil, then you're a tough guy.

If oil is what you've got and it works for you, then there's nothing wrong with oil. But when you only have 2, 3 percent of the world's oil reserves, why wouldn't you want to develop alternative sources of energy that are cleaner and more efficient and that produce manufacturing jobs like are being produced right here.

Sometimes people say, well, what about coal? Look, coal -- we are the Saudi Arabia of coal. We've got a whole lot of coal, but the fact of the matter is, coal -- if we don't have clean coal technologies to catch the particles that are sent up in the air, it causes serious pollution that increases the rates of asthma and is contributing to weather patterns changing. So we should work on technologies to make coal cleaner. But that doesn't mean that it's an either/or; it's a both/and.

We can use oil, use coal. We're going to need those for a while. But let's also develop these new energies, these cleaner energies, that can really make a difference. We're going to need bipartisan support for that. That's what I'm hoping we're going to be able to get.

All right. Gentleman right here.

Q Hi, Mr. President. First off, thank you very much on behalf of everyone here for coming today. It really means a lot to us.

THE PRESIDENT: You bet.

Q My name is Alan Berchel (ph). I'm a Canadian. I just moved here about a year ago. And my question for you today is in reference to the Canadian tar sands. Now, we've heard you speak today about the importance of manufacturing things domestically for the purpose of exporting. We've heard you speak about the importance of domestic energy security, as well the importance of out-performing China in terms of the ability for us to manufacture wind turbines.

Now, I would like to know how you balance your commitment to the environment with domestic energy security, given that there has been recent domestic dissent from the idea of importing Canadian oil, and as well, keeping in mind that it does require energy in order to manufacture these turbines -- if you do not import the Canadian tar sands oil, you are opening the door to further investments by SunCor in Canada; as well you're essentially offering up this very vast and politically stable oil -- energy resource to a country like China. I just want to know how you're balancing all these different pressures.

THE PRESIDENT: Did you talk to this guy? (Laughter.) You know -- (laughter.) For those -- just to give background to folks, there are these tar sands in Canada that can produce oil. There is talk about building a pipeline into the United States to import that oil. I can't comment on the specifics of this because the State Department is going through this complicated review process, and if it looks like I'm putting my fingers on the scale before the science is done, then people may question the merits of the decision later on. So I'm not going to get into the details of it.

I will make this general point, which is that, first of all, importing oil from countries that are stable and friendly is a good thing. So, for example, some of you saw I went down to Brazil a couple of weeks back. And I know people think I was going there to see samba dancers or something; they play soccer. I was going down there partly because Brazil is actually already doing a really good job with biofuels. They've got some of the best cellulosic ethanol -- this ethanol that's not made with corn, but it's made with like sugar cane stalks.

So I think a third of their cars already on the road run on biofuels. So I wanted to make sure that we learn from them -- this goes to the point about another way that we can lower gas prices. But they also just had these huge discoveries of oil off their shores underwater, pretty deep down. And can we start working with them using our outstanding technology -- some of the lessons we've learned in the Gulf -- to create another regular source or supply of oil.

Canada already is one our largest oil exporters, or that's -- we import from Canada. These tar sands, there are some environmental questions about how destructive they are, potentially, what are the dangers there, and we've got to examine all those questions. It's the same thing with natural gas here in Pennsylvania. Everybody has been hearing about the whole fracking issue, right?

Now, natural gas is a clean, relatively clean energy. It's a fossil fuel, but it burns pretty clean. But we've got to make sure that as we're extracting it from the ground, that the chemicals that are being used don't leach into the water. Nobody is an environmentalist until you get sick. And it turns out, well, gosh, why didn't somebody tell me that this might affect the water that we drink or the air that we breathe, or what have you? So we've got to do some science there to make sure that the

natural gas that we have in this country, we're extracting in a safe way. The same thing is true when it comes to oil that's being piped in from Canada, or Alaska for that matter. We just got to do these evaluations, and we're always trying to do that based on the science. All right?

Let me see. Let's go right here in the glasses. Yes.

Q Hey, Mr. President. Welcome back.

THE PRESIDENT: Great to be back.

Q My children -- I have seven of my children and eight grandchildren. I was just wondering, like, what are we going to do about their education? Because we're (inaudible) cutting this school, we're cutting five schools, six schools here and all. I mean, that's our future. If we're cutting their heads off, then where are we going to be in 30 or 40 years?

THE PRESIDENT: It's a great question. Can I just ask before I answer, though, is there some rule at Gamesa that you got to have a whole bunch of kids? (Laughter.) I mean, you got 10 over here, you got seven over here. Golly. (Laughter.)

Look, the single most important determinant of how we do as an economy is going to be how educated our workforce is. That's our biggest competitive advantage, is having workers who are skilled. (Applause.) If we've got the best scientists, if we've got the best engineers, if we've got the best mathematicians, if we've got workers who know how to -- as they do here at Gamesa -- to use high-tech equipment, that's what's going to be our advantage.

Like I said, we're not going to win the race just by driving our wages down, because we'll never win that race. I mean, China doesn't even have the lowest wages now. Some companies are now moving to the next country that's got lower wages than China, because China's economy is starting to grow. There's always going to be some country out there with lower wages. But we can out-educate anybody. (Applause.) And we used to have -- we used to have the best education system in the world. We used to have the number one percentage of college graduates in the world. We don't anymore. Our kids used to do the best on math and science exams; now we're like ninth, 12th, 21st. And that means that other countries are going to pass us by.

This is why even in these tough budget times, where we need to cut the things that we don't need, we can't stop investing in education. We can't stop investing in education. (Applause.) I put forward my budget proposal for next year, and almost every department I cut. One department I didn't cut -- education. I did not cut education, I actually increased our investment in education. (Applause.)

Now, money is not the only thing that makes a good school, so we've also got to reform our schools. Some schools are not structured to make

sure kids learn. There are schools out there where they've got enough money, but for whatever reason -- most of the time they're in poor neighborhoods, but part of it is also that the teachers, the principals, et cetera, they're not working together in as effective a way with the parents and the community to make sure that there are high expectations for the kids and everybody is performing.

So what we've said is, yes, we're going to put more money in the schools, but we're also going to reform the schools. And part of the money that we've done is -- what we've done is we've carved out some of this money and we've said, instead of it just going to every school district based on some formula, we want you to compete for it. Come up with a plan explaining how you're going to reform our education system; how you're going to make sure there are high standards for every kid; how you're going to get the best teachers; how you're going to train and retain those teachers; how you're going to make sure that the schools are accountable. And if you do those things, we're going to give you a little bit of extra money. And it gives an incentive for every state and every school district to start looking at what they're doing to see if they're using the best practices possible to educate our kids. So that's on the K through 12 level.

We also have to focus on community colleges, because that's -- it's not just enough to have kids getting good educations. We have to have adults who are constantly retraining. I mean, how many here -- how many folks here who are working at Gamesa took some sort of training class at a community college that helped them along the way? Anybody? Look at that. Right? So we've got a decent number of folks who, maybe you've got a career change; maybe your old skills are a little obsolete and you need to upgrade them. Well, you've got to be able to also get a good education. So that's why we're putting more money into community colleges as well as four-year colleges. And what we've done is we've expanded the grant programs, the Pell Grant, the student loan programs, so that more people can afford to go to college without getting huge debt -- (applause) -- especially if you're working and if you've already got a family, you can't afford to be taking out \$50,000 worth of debt. So we want to give you more help.

Now, this is a good place to just talk, again, about this budget debate, because you're going to be hearing a lot about this. Right now we're debating last year's budget and we may have a government shutdown, and then we're going to have to debate next year's budget. All of us think that the government should live within its means. We all believe that. You do it in your families. Government should have to do the same thing. And there is some waste in government.

And so we've been cutting in a whole bunch of areas, and we're consolidating some agencies and earmarks that are not necessary and we're looking at the Pentagon -- how do we make our defense spending smarter and better? And so we're going to be doing a lot of consolidation and cuts, but one thing we can't do is stop investing in education, in research, in

infrastructure, in things like a smart grid. Those are the things that are going to make us competitive over the long term.

So if you see me getting in some arguments in Washington, I want you to be clear. Don't believe that somehow the argument is about whether we should cut or not. I've already said we've got to cut spending. I just want to make sure we're cutting the right things. Don't protect things we don't need and get rid of things that we do. That's my basic attitude. (Applause.)

All right. I have time for one more question, and I'll call on that young lady back there.

Q Mr. President, given that energy efficiency is the cleanest, safest, cheapest, and most labor-intensive energy resource, what else -- what more can the federal government do that is revenue neutral to support the growth of the energy efficiency industry?

THE PRESIDENT: Well, first of all, I want you to know that you are absolutely right. The first thing we can do to improve our economy and our environment at the same time -- and can actually produce a lot of jobs -- is to make everything we do more efficient. That's sort of the low-hanging fruit. We use huge amounts of energy because our buildings aren't well insulated, or the lighting that we use is old-fashioned, or the heating -- the HVAC systems, the heating and cooling systems, are inefficient. So what we've said is, why not provide incentives to both businesses and homeowners to make your home or your business more energy efficient, because you'll get the money back. It will pay for itself, because your electricity bills will go down.

But the only problem is, a lot of folks, they need a little bit of money up front to get started. I mean, I'll bet a lot of folks here -- anybody recently reinsulated their house or put in new windows or something? Gentleman right here. And how long ago did you do it? A few months ago? Are you already seeing a drop in your electricity bill? You are, right?

So -- but you had those up-front costs that you had to deal with. Right? And so the question is, you may not have initially the couple thousand bucks out of pocket to be able to do it. Now, this guy looks like he's pretty handy, so he might have done it himself, right? But I would have gotten a nail in my thumb or something, because I'm challenged in those ways. So I might have had to hire somebody.

But the point though is, is that that money up front -- if we can give you a tax break to do it initially, you're going to get that money back. And if you're not somebody who can do it yourself, you're going to hire somebody. And that now is creating a job in a whole bunch of new industries for people who are doing energy efficiency.

So I already mentioned how we're trying to provide incentives for cleaner cars and more energy-efficient transportation sectors. I think

the next big challenge are commercial buildings and homeowners, giving them incentives to make these investments. It's a win-win situation for everybody. (Applause.)

All right, well, listen, Gamesa, it was wonderful to be with all of you. I'm proud of what you're doing. As I said before, just in closing, we've gone through a very tough couple of years. And I'm not going to guarantee standing here that suddenly every single challenge we have is going to go away overnight. And if somebody promises you that, they're not telling the truth.

Gas prices, they're going to still fluctuate until we can start making these broader changes. And that's going to take a couple of years to have serious effect. Not everybody is going to be able to remodel or insulate their homes right away. But slowly we can get more and more homes and more and more buildings doing it.

If we get a clean energy standard, then Gamesa is going to have more customers. It's not going to immediately transform the wind industry, but it's going to make it that much stronger. And I'll bet that the leaders of your company will start hiring some more people because there will be greater demand.

And day by day, week by week, year by year, we slowly make more and more progress. On education, we're not going to transform all the schools overnight. Too many kids are going to be dropping out. Too many kids are going to be ranking too low on international standards on math and science. But if we improve those schools each year, then slowly but surely our whole workforce gets better.

We're not going to eliminate the debt that's built up overnight. But if each year we're making good choices, we're investing in those things that we need, not investing in those things that we don't, then the debt will come down. That's how progress is made.

In our own individual lives, whether it's trying to build a career or raise your kids or getting exercise, it starts a step at a time. And then slowly you make progress. And then a year, two years, five years later you look back and you said, you know what, I'm in a better place now. The country is the same way.

So we've got to have a vision for how we're going to win the future. We've got to be persistent about it. We've got to be steady about it. But we have to also have confidence. America has always been able to make the changes that it needs to. And I have every bit of confidence we're going to be able to do that again this time out. And we're going to do it partly because of the great workers at places like Gamesa.

So thank you very much, everybody. God bless you. God bless you. (Applause.)

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REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT
AT THE NATIONAL ACTION NETWORK ANNUAL GALA

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THE PRESIDENT: Thank you. Good to be in New York City. Let me begin by acknowledging some very, very special guests. Dr. Richardson, thank you. Charlie Rangel, for your outstanding work on behalf of your constituents. Mayor David Dinkins. (Applause.) Governor David Paterson is here. (Applause.) State Comptroller Tom DiNapoli. DiNapoli, excuse me. This is another one that's hard to pronounce: Stevie Wonder. (Laughter.) Martin Luther King III. (Applause.) All the Keepers of the Dream honorees with us tonight, and the National Action Network.

It is wonderful to be here as you celebrate your 20th anniversary. Some things have changed a lot since 1991. I told Reverend Al backstage he's getting skinnier than me. (Laughter.) He's getting skinnier than Spike. (Laughter.) But he hasn't lost his sense of style. The other thing that hasn't changed is the National Action Network's commitment to fight injustice and inequality here in New York City and across America. And that's not only a testament to Reverend Sharpton. It's a testament to all of you who are here tonight. I want to commend you for the work that you've done over the last two decades to lift up not only the African American community but the broader American family. That's what you're about. (Applause.)

The last time I came was in April of 2007, four months ago -- four years ago this month. Back then I had fewer supporters. Most of you couldn't pronounce my name, so Tom, don't feel bad. (Laughter.) I had a lot fewer gray hairs. I was looking at some pictures -- I looked really young back then. (Laughter.) I said that we were facing extraordinary challenges in this country, but that what was stopping us from solving them wasn't a lack of policies; it wasn't a lack of plans. What was stopping us was a broken politics. A broken politics in Washington -- a politics that was all about the next election instead of the next

generation; that was all about what we disagreed about instead of what we had in common; a politics that made us cynical about our ability to change this country.

And I said that if you stand with me and believe in what we can do together, if you do what civil rights groups like the National Action Network have always done, if you put your shoulder to the wheel of history, then we can move this country toward the promise of a better day. I told you at the time I wasn't a perfect person, I wouldn't be a perfect President, but what I could commit to was always telling you the truth even when it was hard, and I would spend each and every day thinking about you.

And because you made our campaign your own, because you believed in our ability to shape our own destiny, we won that chance to bring about real change. And I said on inauguration night in Chicago that that was simply the end of the beginning, and that now the real business started.

Because I didn't run and so many of you didn't support me just to win an election. We won the election so that we could then actually get moving on all the work that had been left undone. Even though we understood, of course, the magnitudes of the challenges we faced, we didn't fully realize until late in the game, probably the last month of the campaign, that we would be facing the worst recession in generations - a recession that was leaving millions of Americans without a home, without a job, without hope for the future.

And as Reverend Al said, some folks have amnesia about this. Where are we two years later? Our economy has started to grow again. The recovery is gaining momentum. People are finally starting to get hired back. We had to make some tough choices in between. You remember when we decided we had to move to save the American auto industry and everybody said, that can't happen. And then two weeks ago, GM just announced that it's going to hire back every single worker that has been laid off and every U.S. automaker is making a profit. (Applause.) But that wasn't popular. That wasn't popular.

A while back, I visited a small trucking business, and its owner Stephen Neal is one of our country's African American business leaders. And he told me that because of the uptick in our economy, he was buying new equipment and adding more workers. And that's what's happening all across America. In the first three months of this year, we've added nearly half a million private sector jobs -- nearly 2 million jobs in the last 13 months.

So we're making progress, but we're not there yet. And I want you to know that so long as there are Americans who cannot find work I will be fighting for jobs, and so long as the gap between the wealthiest few and everybody else keeps on growing I will be fighting for opportunity. And I know you'll be right there alongside with me. (Applause.)

We are going to keep fighting until every family gets a shot at the American Dream. That's our North Star. That's the first thing I think about when I wake up in the morning. That's the last thing I think about when I go to bed at night -- the hopes and dreams of people who work hard every single day, look after their families, take care of their responsibilities, and just need a little bit of help to make it.

Now, there are Americans of all colors and creeds who are struggling to live out those dreams today. That's part of what our campaign was about, was reminding ourselves that everybody is in this together. Now, what's also true, though, is the unemployment rate for African Americans is almost double what it is for other groups. It's also true that those with the least have been sacrificing the most during this recession. What's also true is that even before the recession hit, too many communities were marked by structural inequalities in health and education and employment that made it profoundly difficult for too many people to get ahead.

You understood that. I understood that. That's part of the reason I ran for President, because I've seen the frustration and the wounded pride in the eyes of folks who've lost their jobs or a father who has to go home and tell his kids that we might not have enough this month, might be losing our apartment this month. I've heard the stories of struggling families who are doing everything right and still at the end of the month don't quite have enough to pay the bills. I did not start hearing those stories when I became President. Those are stories that led me to run for President in the first place. (Applause.)

As Reverend mentioned, I got my start tackling the problems of joblessness and hopelessness that afflict so many of our cities and rural communities. I got my start working to bring opportunity to neighborhoods that were full of boarded-up houses and shuttered stores, fighting to keep kids off the street, fighting to get them into school, fighting to make sure that they went on to college, fighting to make real the promise of justice in our judicial system.

And these causes of justice and equality and opportunity, they aren't just what led me into politics, they're what led ordinary people to sit down at the front of the bus, to cross that bridge in Selma, to heed a King's call to perfect our union. They're the heart of what makes us Americans. That's who we are. And because of your support, they're the causes that I've been carrying since I've been in the Oval Office.

With the help of folks at the grassroots, we passed historic health insurance reform that will not only extend coverage to 30 million more Americans and give Americans more affordable choices, but will narrow the cruel health disparities between African Americans of different backgrounds. That was because of your work. (Applause.)

We passed Wall Street reform that will protect consumers from the kind of predatory lending practices that helped cause this recession. We're rewarding work with an expanded Earned Income Tax Credit. We're

tackling poverty with Promise Neighborhoods that build on the great work of Geoffrey Canada up in Harlem. We're making sure our civil rights and anti-discrimination laws are enforced. And if you're interested in learning more, if you want to spread the word about what we're doing not just in the African American community but all across the country, go to our website and it will give you a long list of what we've done over the last two years -- promises made and promises kept.

That's what we've tried to do over these past couple years -- advance the causes that make us who we are. But we've still got more work to do. If we're serious about opening up opportunity and making sure America prospers in the 21st century, we're going to have to up our game as a nation. I was talking to Magic right before we came out -- I was talking about the Bulls, of course. (Laughter.) He's still picking the Lakers, but he made the point, a young man Derek Rose upped his game, worked hard, and is having an MVP season. Well, we have to do that in classrooms, we have to do that in the workplaces, we've got to do that in our communities and our neighborhoods. (Applause.) Our fathers got to up their games.

If we want to attract new jobs and new opportunities to our shores, we've got to make sure America can out-compete the rest of the world. That's what we mean when we say we got to win the future. It means we got to rebuild our crumbling transportation networks with high-speed rail, upgrade our communications networks with high-speed Internet. It means we're investing in cutting-edge research and technology like clean energy -- and most of all, making sure we are giving every one of our children the best possible education. (Applause.) The best possible education is the single most important factor in determining whether they succeed. But it's also what will determine whether we succeed. It's the key to opportunity. It is the civil rights issue of our time.

I know education is important to everybody here, especially Reverend Al. In fact, a while back, he stopped by the White House to talk about education. He was joined by the great mayor of this city, Mike Bloomberg. He was also joined by Newt Gingrich. Newt -- hmm. (Laughter.) Newt said he and Reverend Sharpton were "the original odd couple." That's an understatement. (Laughter.)

But I welcomed them to the White House because I don't think there's anything odd about the two of them coming together around the importance of education. When there is an achievement gap between students of different races and backgrounds, that's not a Democratic problem, that's not a Republican problem -- that is an American problem that we have to address. (Applause.) When too many of our schools are failing our children, too many of our kids are dropping out of school, that's not a black or white or brown problem -- that is an American problem. We're going to have to solve that problem. We are all responsible for the education of all of our children.

That starts with parents making sure that we're doing right at home, staying engaged in our child's education, setting high expectation. Without parental responsibility, nothing else we do will matter. But we

also know that each of us has a responsibility not just as parents, but as civic leaders, as Americans, to do a better job of educating our children.

And that's why, two years ago, we started something called Race for the Top. We're saying to states, prove you are serious about improving education not just for some kids, but for all kids. And if you do, we will show you the money. And for less than 1 percent of what our country as a whole spends on education each year, Race to the Top has led 40 states to raise their standards for teaching and learning and student achievement, and developed plans for some of the schools that are underperforming the worst. And all this was done not in Washington. It was developed by Republican and Democratic governors across the country.

We're going to have to take same approach when it comes to fixing No Child Left Behind. Instead of measuring students based on whether they're above or below some arbitrary test, we need to make sure our students are graduating from high school ready for a career, ready for college. That's what we need to do. (Applause.) Instead of labeling our schools a failure one day -- instead of labeling our schools a failure one day and then throwing up our hands and walking away, we've got to refocus on the schools that need help the most. In the 21st Century, it's not enough to just leave no child left behind. We've got to help every child get ahead. (Applause.) That's our goal -- get every child on a path to academic excellence.

And we need to make sure that that path leads to a college degree. That's why we ended a system where we were subsidizing banks in the student loan program. They were taking billions of dollars out of the student loan program. We said, why don't we give that to the students directly? That would make sense. (Applause.) So we made college more affordable for millions of students. Millions of students across the country are now getting student loans that they weren't getting before and more loans than they were getting before. That's why we're making it easier to repay student loans so kids don't graduate, like Michelle and I did, with massive loan payments each month. It was more than our mortgage for 10 years. It's one of the things I try to remember -- I try to remind people when they say, well, you're President now. You're out of touch. I said, listen, it was only a few years ago I was still paying off my student loans. (Applause.) And it's true, I don't pump gas now, but I remember what it was like pumping gas. (Laughter.) I remember. I remember the end of the month. (Laughter.) I remember that. (Applause.)

We appreciate all of you buying the book, Michelle and I. (Laughter.) That's the college fund right there. (Laughter.) That was not a given. That's why we're reinvesting in Historically Black Colleges and Universities. (Applause.) That's why we are -- that's why we're upgrading our community colleges that prepare so many working families to succeed in this economy. And by taking all these steps, I'm confident we are going to meet a goal that I set when I took office that I announced in my first State of the Union: By the end of this decade, America will once again have the highest proportion of college graduates in the world. That

is something that we can achieve. That's something we can achieve.
(Applause.)

That's how we can out-educate countries around the world. That's how we will out-compete. That's how we will win the future in the 21st century.

Now, one thing we won't be able to win is -- if some of our people are falling behind, we will not win the future. The only way for America to prosper is for all Americans to prosper. We've seen that in the census that just came out. The face of America is changing. You can't get away with having a third of our children, half of our children, not doing well. Not today, not in the 21st century. All of us -- black, white, Latino, Native American, Asian American, men, women, disabled, non-disabled -- in America, we rise and fall together.

An America where the American Dream is within reach of everybody, that's what we've been fighting to build over the last two years. That's what the National Action Network has been fighting to build over the past two decades. I know that there are times where the work is frustrating. I know there are times where it is hard. There are times when change can seem painfully slow to come by. There are times when some of you may have said, I don't know what Obama is doing there. There are times where you lose hope, times when folks in Washington focus on scoring points instead of solving problems. And some of you may just put up your hands and say, politics is too tough.

But in those moments when we start asking ourselves if change is possible, you've got to remember what we've done together over the past few years. Remember all the children who will graduate from high school ready for college and beyond. Remember all the Americans who will no longer have to worry about going bankrupt because they got sick. Remember all the families who will no longer be exploited by insurance companies or a credit card company or a mortgage lender.

I'm not asking you to think about what we've already done so you can be satisfied with our progress. I know this isn't the National Satisfaction Network. This is the National Action Network. (Laughter and applause.) But I am asking you to draw inspiration from the fact that we know change is possible. I am living testament that change is possible. (Applause.) We know we have the ability to put our shoulders to the wheel of history and steer America towards the promise of a better day. We know that we stand on other shoulders and step by step, inch by inch, we make progress.

That's what we've been doing. And if you're as committed as I am to continuing to change this country for the better, if you feel the same determination that I do to tackle the problems that haven't yet met, if you're still willing to believe in what we can do together, I am absolutely confident we will do what you've been doing for the last 20 years. We will build an America where the ideals of justice and equality and opportunity are alive and well, and we will reclaim the American Dream

in our time. So thank you. God bless you. God bless the United States
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Background on the President's Town Hall at the Gamesa Plant in Fair Hills, Pennsylvania

Today, the President will travel to the Gamesa plant in Pennsylvania and hold a town hall with workers on building a 21st century clean energy economy to win the future. The majority of the audience will be comprised of Gamesa workers.

Elected officials expected to attend

Councilmember James Francis Kenney
Councilmember Curtis Joseph Jones Jr
County Commissioner Diane Ellis-Marseglia

The Obama Administration has taken major steps to encourage investment in domestic renewable energy manufacturing capacity, and the jobs that go along with it. Through the 1603 renewable energy grant program, the Administration has bolstered the market for wind turbines, solar panels and other renewable electricity technologies; over the last two years, this program has supported more than 7,000 renewable energy projects representing more than \$21 billion in investment, and the addition of nearly 10 gigawatts of renewable electricity generation capacity. The Administration has also provided \$2.3 billion of tax credits to expand clean energy manufacturing capacity. The Administration's FY 2012 budget calls for continued investment in both of these important programs. In addition, the President has proposed a Clean Energy Standard that would double the share of energy America generates from clean energy sources over the next 25 years, providing a long-term incentive for investment in renewables and other clean energy sources.

Taken together, these programs have supported investment and job creation at clean energy companies like Gamesa, the first overseas wind manufacturer to set up full production facilities in the United States. Gamesa currently employs about 900 workers in North America, including 800 in Pennsylvania. Over the last five years, Gamesa has invested more than \$220 million in Pennsylvania alone. Over the past 3 years, the company has purchased more than \$900 million of U.S.-sourced content and services. Those investments spread across 45 states.

Gamesa opened its Offshore Wind Technology Center in Virginia in February 2011 in partnership with Huntington Ingalls Industries, successor to Northrop Grumman Shipbuilding. About 50

people now work at the facility where they will jointly design Gamesa's first generation of offshore wind turbine, the G11X-5.0 MW machine, the first US designed offshore wind turbine. The team will install the first two turbines --- one onshore and one offshore for comprehensive validation testing --- by the fourth quarter of 2012 in the Mid-Atlantic region.

In 2009, the company upgraded its two U.S. manufacturing facilities to begin production of the new G90-2.0 MW wind turbine, which features a longer, lighter blade. The company has installed over 2,400 megawatts at 24 wind farms in 11 states, and has another 900 megawatts currently under construction in United States, all of which are expected to go operational by the end of 2011.

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Readout of President Obama's Video Teleconference with President Karzai

President Obama spoke with President Karzai today via video teleconference. The two leaders spoke for approximately one hour and discussed a range of topics, including transition to Afghan security lead, our ongoing strategic partnership negotiations, and the Koran burning and the violence that followed in Afghanistan. President Obama welcomed President Karzai's March 22, 2011, announcement of the first tranche of provinces and municipalities to begin transition to Afghan lead. The two leaders agreed on the importance of reestablishing peace in Afghanistan through progress on transition, an enduring U.S.-Afghan strategic partnership, and reconciliation.

Both leaders deplored the desecration of the Koran, strongly condemned the April 1 attack on UNAMA in Mazar-e-Sharif and expressed deep regret for the tragic loss of life. The two Presidents were clear that to attack and kill innocent people is an affront to human decency and dignity. Both leaders agreed that now is a time for our two nations to come together, in the pursuit of common values and common goals.

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President Obama to meet with Colombian President Juan Manuel Santos

President Obama will meet with Colombian President Juan Manuel Santos on Thursday, April 7, 2011 to discuss important issues related to our enduring bilateral partnership. The Presidents are expected to approve the recently agreed-upon Action Plan Related to Labor Rights and to discuss next steps with regard to the U.S.-Colombia Trade Promotion Agreement. They will also review ongoing U.S.-Colombia cooperation on a range of security, economic, and social issues. This will be the second meeting between the Presidents, who met on the margins of the UN General Assembly in New York City on September 24, 2010.

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To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Presidential Memorandum--Unified Command Plan 2011
Attachments: 2011ucp.mem.rel.pdf

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Attached is a memorandum from the President to the Secretary of Defense regarding the Unified Command Plan 2011.

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Subject: Fw: Travel Pool #6 - Obama visits, no news

From: Abby Phillip <aphillip@politico.com>
To: Hughes, Caroline E.
Sent: Wed Apr 06 20:21:33 2011
Subject: Travel Pool #6 - Obama visits, no news

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"I have an important announcement to make," Obama began, then asked everyone to sing Happy Birthday.

One of the flight attendants brought in a big chocolate raspberry cake with candles on it and Obama held it for a bit while Sunlen blew out the candles.

He was not wearing his jacket, and his shirt sleeves were rolled up just a little.

"This is your third birthday with me?" Obama asks.

"This is my fourth," Sunleen replied.

"How come you look so much better than me?" He asks with a big smile.

"Guys I expect you to eat this up," Obama said.

As he turns to leave, Reuters' Jeff Mason asks "Sir, anything about the budget?"

Obama touched his arm and replied, "No," before exiting the cabin.

A few minutes later we were on the ground at Andrews at 8:07 p.m.

As POTUS stepped off the plane at 8:14, his jacket was back on.

Carney and Mastromonaco were just behind him.

Marine One took off for the WH and Obama's budget meeting at 8:21 pm.

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To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Fw: Travel Pool #1 - Departure

From: Abby Phillip <aphillip@politico.com>
To: Hughes, Caroline E.
Sent: Wed Apr 06 12:43:10 2011
Subject: Travel Pool #1 - Departure

Happy Wednesday,

POTUS arrived at AAFB at 12:35 pm. He was running about 10 min late this afternoon.

It's a beautiful spring day, temps in the mid 50s and Obama is in a black suit and grey tie with no overcoat.

Traveling with him are Jay Carney, Alyssa Mastromonaco, and Reggie Love.

A group of kids waved from the tarmac as Obama got on the plane.

We'll be in the air shortly. AF1 is taxiing at 12:43 for Philadelphia, PA.

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To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Fw: Travel Pool #2 - Philly to Fairless Hills

From: Abby Phillip <aphillip@politico.com>
To: Hughes, Caroline E.; Finkenbinder, Benjamin N.
Sent: Wed Apr 06 13:34:01 2011
Subject: Travel Pool #2 - Philly to Fairless Hills

AF1 arrived in Philadelphia International Airport at 1:12 pm. Mayor Nutter of Philly was on the tarmac waiting for Obama. They shook hands and exchanged a few words near the planes stairs. Obama then ran over to greet some folks on the tarmac.

We'll take a helo over to Fairless Hills which is about 45 minutes north of the city (by car). We were in the air at 1:27 pm.

On the flight over, Press Secretary Jay Carney gaggled briefly with reporters. (The gaggle lasted all the way until we touched down at the airport)

Here are some notes from the gaggle (transcript should be out soon):

POTUS spoke with Reid and Boehner this am by phone. Carney said they had a "good conversation" and the president got an "update on negotiations."

Carney said that there are indications of progress being made, but obviously no deal is done.

POTUS will call a meeting at the WH if he believes its necessary, Carney said.

When asked about the \$40 billion in cuts the GOP now seems to be asking for, Carney said that he's not going to "negotiate the budget from here" but he said that Democrats have already met Republicans "more than halfway" and that the debate here is not about whether there will be cuts, but rather whether everyone is willing to do what's necessary to fund the government.

Carney also confirmed that he president did receive a letter from Muammar Qadhafi, but said that "words are different than actions," and reiterated the long list of things that Qadhafi would need to do in order for the WH to take his words seriously.

Carney also confirmed that POTUS spoke to Hamid Kharzai this morning, but he would not read out the call.

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To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Fw: Travel Pool #3 - Town Hall

From: Abby Phillip <aphillip@politico.com>
To: Hughes, Caroline E.; Finkenbinder, Benjamin N.
Sent: Wed Apr 06 15:24:35 2011
Subject: Travel Pool #3 - Town Hall

At 1:46 Obama emerged from Marine One with staff. We moved in the motorcade for a short 30 second ride to the Gamesa plant just feet away from the landing zone.

According to the WH, there are about 500 Gamesa employees here for the town hall.

Obama delivered remarks, which were open press, then took questions, which were also open to the press.

Elected officials expected to attend -- as per the WH backgrounder.

Councilmember James Francis Kenney
Councilmember Curtis Joseph Jones Jr
County Commissioner Diane Ellis-Marseglia

Following the event, Obama did some of his usual hand shaking and he was out by 3:10 pm.

An amusing side note: Pool held in the van for a few minutes, but as the motorcade started rolling the "Press 1" van didn't was missing its driver (who was taking a picture with POTUS at time). Demonstrating some epic multitasking skills, NYTimes photog Doug Mills and our WH steno took turns at the wheel to keep up with the rest of the vehicles. After another pause in the motorcade, our driver returned and we were all set.

Motorcade was rolling for real this time with POTUS at 3:20 pm.

We're headed to the LZ, just feet away, then back to the Philly airport for a short trip to NYC at 3:24 pm.

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From: White House Press Office [noreply@messages.whitehouse.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 06, 2011 5:22 PM
To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Fw: Travel Pool #4- budget

From: Abby Phillip <aphillip@politico.com>
To: Hughes, Caroline E.; Finkenbinder, Benjamin N.
Sent: Wed Apr 06 17:05:22 2011
Subject: Travel Pool #4- budget

Update on budget talks from WH Press Secretary Jay Carney: POTUS "has now decided that not enough progress has been made, therefore he has invited the Speaker of the House and the Senate Majority leader to the WH for a meeting at 8:45 pm tonight."

Carney said that in this morning's phone calls POTUS was assured that progress had been made, after he offered to host a meeting at the WH this morning.

Earlier:
POTUS arrived in Marine One at the Philadelphia Int'l airport at 3:55 pm. AF1 took off for NYC at 4:06 pm.

We'll take another helo from JFK to Manhattan.

POTUS was off the plane a 5:04, and he briefly shook hands with some onlookers on the tarmac before heading to marine one. More on that coming soon.

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To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Fw: Travel Pool #4a - Budget quotes

From: Abby Phillip <aphillip@politico.com>
To: Hughes, Caroline E.
Sent: Wed Apr 06 17:33:31 2011
Subject: Travel Pool #4a - Budget quotes

Note: Carney came back as the plane was landing, catching the pool a little by surprise. Here are some more quotes from what he had to say as an addendum to the previous pool.

POTUS offered in his calls this morning to "have a meeting this morning at the WH. He was told at that time enough progress was being made and that wasn't necessary. He has now decided that not enough progress is being made and therefore he has extended invitations to the Speaker of the House and Senate Majority Leader to meet at the WH this evening at approx 8:45 pm"

And then Carney reiterated, as per my previous update:

"He has now decided that not enough progress has been made, therefore he has invited the Speaker of the House and the Senate Majority leader to the WH for a meeting at 8:45 pm tonight."

POTUS arrived at the Wall Street landing zone in Manhattan and the motorcade is now headed to the Sheraton at 5:28 pm for his next event.

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To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Fw: Travel Pool #5 - Leaving NYC

From: Abby Phillip <aphillip@politico.com>
To: Hughes, Caroline E.; Finkenbinder, Benjamin N.
Sent: Wed Apr 06 19:18:48 2011
Subject: Travel Pool #5 - Leaving NYC

Obama finished up his remarks at the National Action Network's Annual Gala after about 25 minutes. His remarks were open press.

As he shook some hands in the enthusiastic crowd, your pool spotted Director Spike Lee shooting video of Obama from his iPad. (H/t: Doug Mills)

At 6:40, we were in the motorcade heading back to the Wall Street LZ.

Its still drizzling here in NY, though the temperature isn't too cold.

POTUS was in the air at 6:59 pm in Marine One.

The helo ride to the airport was brief. Obama arrived at 7:14 pm.

We're taxing for home.

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From: White House Press Office [noreply@messages.whitehouse.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 06, 2011 6:06 PM
To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Presidential Proclamation--National D.A.R.E. Day
Attachments: 2011dare.prc.rel.pdf

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Attached is a proclamation signed by the President today regarding National D.A.R.E. Day.

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To: Carter, Debbie G.
Subject: Statement by the Press Secretary on Today's Senate Votes on EPA Authority under the Clean Air Act

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April 6, 2011

Statement by the Press Secretary on Today's Senate Votes on EPA Authority under the Clean Air Act

The administration is encouraged by the Senate's actions today to defend the Environmental Protection Agency's ability to protect public health under the Clean Air Act. By rejecting efforts to rollback EPA's common-sense steps to safeguard Americans from harmful pollution, the Senate also rejected an approach that would have increased the nation's dependence on oil, contradicted the scientific consensus on global warming, and jeopardized America's ability to lead the world in the clean energy economy. The Clean Air Act is a vital tool in protecting our families - particularly children - from a wide variety of harmful pollutants that cause asthma and lung disease, and the administration remains committed to protecting this important law.

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Schedule for First Lady Michelle Obama
Wednesday, April 6, 2011
Washington, DC

Weather:

Washington, D.C. 64/49, Partly Sunny, 20% chance of precipitation

Time Zone:

Washington, DC Eastern Time Zone

White House Staff:

Personal Aide Kristin Jones



Attire:

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Emergency Scheduling contact: Franny Starkey



Wednesday, April 6, 2011
Washington, DC

AM – 10:10 am **NO SCHEDULE**

10:10 – 10:15 am **MOVE TO EAST WING**

10:15 – 10:45 am **SPEECH PREP**

Location: White House
Room: First Lady's Office
Attendees: Tina Tchen, Melissa Winter, Kristina Schake, Semonti Stephens, Trooper Sanders, Matt Flavin, Jocelyn Frye, Terry Szuplat, Jason Dempsey

Format:

- YOU rehearse your speech for the Joining Forces launch.

10:45 – 10:50 am **MOVE TO OLD FAMILY DINING ROOM**

10:50 – 11:00 am **JOINING FORCES PREP WITH DR. BIDEN**

Location: White House
Room: Old Family Dining Room
Attendees: Tina Tchen, Melissa Winter, Kristina Schake, Semonti Stephens, Trooper Sanders, Matt Flavin, Jocelyn Frye, Cathy Russell, Anthony Bernal, Courtney O'Donnell, Kirsten White

Format:

- YOU and Dr. Biden prepare for the Congressional Outreach meeting.

11:00 – 11:45 am **CONGRESSIONAL OUTREACH MEETING WITH DR. BIDEN**

Location: White House
Room: Map Room

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Attendees: 12
 Staff: Tina Tchen, Trooper Sanders
 Set-up: Seated meeting; Senator Boxer is seated on your right and Congresswoman McMorris-Rodgers is on your left. Dr. Biden is seated across the table from you.
 Remarks: Talking points
 Teleprompter: NO
 PRESS: CLOSED // Official WH photographer only

Format:

- YOU and Dr. Biden greet Members of Congress around the table.
- YOU make informal welcoming remarks and introduce Dr. Biden.
- Dr. Biden makes comments.
- YOU engage in an informal conversation with Members of Congress.
- Trooper Sanders will give the five-minute warning.
- YOU bring the meeting to a close and depart.

Attendees:

1. FLOTUS
2. Dr. Biden
3. Senator Lindsey Graham (R-SC), SASC Personnel Subcommittee Ranking Member
4. Senator Barbara Boxer (D-CA), Military Families Caucus co-chair
5. Congressman Adam Smith (D-WA), HASC Ranking Member
6. Congressman Sanford Bishop (D-GA), Military Families Caucus co-chair
7. Congresswoman Cathy McMorris-Rodgers (R-WA), Military Families Caucus co-chair
8. Congressman Jeff Miller (R-FL), HVAC Chair
9. Congressman Joe Wilson (R-SC), HASC Military Personnel Subcommittee chair
10. Congressman Bob Filner (D-CA), HVAC Ranking Member
11. Tina Tchen
12. Cathy Russell

11:45 – 1:25 pm



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1:25 – 1:30 pm

MOVE TO OLD FAMILY DINING ROOM

1:30 – 2:00 pm

PRESS PREP WITH DR. BIDEN

Location: White House
 Room: Old Family Dining Room
 Attendees: Tina Tchen, Melissa Winter, Kristina Schake, Semonti Stephens, Trooper Sanders, Matt Flavin, Jocelyn Frye, Cathy Russell,

Courtney O'Donnell, Kirsten White, Jason Dempsey

Format:

- YOU and Dr. Biden prep for the Entertainment Tonight interview, Department of Defense Media Interview, and the New Media Roundtable interview.

2:00 – 2:30 pm

ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT INTERVIEW WITH DR. BIDEN

Location: White House
Room: Diplomatic Room
Attendees: You, Dr. Biden, and Nancy O'Dell, Correspondent, Entertainment Tonight
Staff: Semonti Stephens
Set-up: Seated interview
Remarks: Talking points
Teleprompter: N/A
PRESS: Entertainment Tonight only

Format:

- YOU and Dr. Biden are interviewed by Nancy O'Dell, Correspondent, Entertainment Tonight.

2:30 – 3:00 pm

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE MEDIA INTERVIEW WITH DR. BIDEN

Location: White House
Room: Map Room
Attendees: You, Dr. Biden, Elaine Wilson, Editor/Writer, American Forces Press Services
Staff: Semonti Stephens
Set-up: Seated interview
Remarks: Talking points
Teleprompter: NO
PRESS: Pentagon Channel crew and Armed Forces Press Service reporter

Format:

- YOU and Dr. Biden participate in a 30-minute interview with the Pentagon Channel while Armed Forces Press Service takes notes on YOUR responses to craft a story.
- YOU and Dr. Biden take one photo with the crew.
- Following the photo, YOU and Dr. Biden depart.

3:05 – 3:10 pm

MOVE TO EEOB

NOTE: YOU and Dr. Biden walk over to Dr. Biden's office in the EEOB together. A member of the new media team will film YOU walking down the hall and entering the room.

3:10 – 3:55 pm

DROP BY NEW MEDIA ROUNDTABLE INTERVIEW WITH DR. BIDEN

Location: EEOB
Room: Dr. Biden's Office
Attendees: 11
Staff: Semonti Stephens, Tina Tchen
Set-up: Seated meeting
Remarks: Talking points

Teleprompter: N/A
PRESS: WH New Media only

Pre-Program:

- Tina Tchen and Cathy Russell lead a roundtable discussion with a group of military spouses, veterans, and volunteers. This conversation will go one for 15-20 minutes prior to YOUR arrival.

Format:

- YOU and Dr. Biden enter the room and surprise the group. A camera pre-set in the room captures the surprise.
- YOU and Dr. Biden take Tina and Cathy's seats around the table. All participants have table tents with their names listed.
- YOU engage in the discussion for 40 minutes.
- YOU and Dr. Biden highlight the Joining Forces initiative, why this issue is important, and what you hope to achieve.
- YOU ask the military spouses, veterans, and volunteers about their own experiences and highlight how all Americans can provide support.
- YOU and Dr. Biden exit after 40 minutes of discussion. The dialogue resumes with Tina, Cathy and participants after your departure.

Attendees:

1. FLOTUS
2. Dr. Biden
3. Captain Sarah Bennett, Professor of Military Science, Loyola University
4. Jeremy Hilton, former Naval Officer and member, Military Officers Association of America's Currently Serving Spouse Advisory Committee
5. Carrie Bradke, wife of Army Captian Chris Bradke (Fort Meade, MD)
6. Lauren Zabierek, Gold Star Sister
7. Cheryl Masevicius, wife of Maryland National Guardsman, Master Sergeant Robert Masevicius
8. Kelly Hruska, National Military Families Association
9. Shirley Brooks, Co-President, Delaware Boots on the Ground
10. Tina Tchen
11. Cathy Russell

3:55 – PM

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DAILY GUIDANCE FOR THE VICE PRESIDENT
Wednesday, April 6, 2011

In the morning, the Vice President will meet with Director of the Office of Management and Budget Jacob Lew, Director of the National Economic Council Gene Sperling, and senior advisors to discuss the budget. This meeting is closed press.

At 1:15 PM, the Vice President will participate in a conference call with college and university presidents from across the country to call attention to the high rates of sexual assault and violence committed against young women in schools and on campuses. On the call, the Vice President, Secretary of Education Arne Duncan, and Chair of the White House Council on Women and Girls Valerie Jarrett will discuss the Administration's new Title IX guidance to help schools, colleges, and universities understand their civil rights obligations to better prevent and respond to sexual assault. Media interested in listening to this call should email press@ovp.eop.gov to obtain call-in information.

Later, at 3:45 PM, the Vice President will meet with Secretary of Homeland Security Janet Napolitano at the Naval Observatory. This meeting is closed press.

At 6:45 PM, the Vice President and Dr. Jill Biden will host a reception for University of Delaware alumni at the Naval Observatory.

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April 5, 2011

**DAILY GUIDANCE AND PRESS SCHEDULE FOR
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2011**

In the morning, the President will receive the Presidential Daily Briefing in the Oval Office. This meeting is closed press.

In the afternoon, the President will travel to the Philadelphia area. The departure from the South Lawn and the arrival at the Philadelphia International Airport are open press. The President will visit Gamesa Technology Corporation in Fairless Hills, where he will hold a town hall discussion with workers about building a 21st century clean energy economy to win the future. The President will discuss his long-term plan to protect consumers against rising oil prices and decrease oil imports as well as key components of his broader energy plan to diversify all of our energy sources, ensuring a cleaner, safer, and more secure energy future. The President's town hall discussion is open press.

Later in the afternoon, the President will travel to New York, New York. The departure from Philadelphia International Airport and the arrival at John F. Kennedy International Airport are open press.

In the evening, the President will deliver remarks at the National Action Network's Keepers of the Dream Awards Gala, hosted by Reverend Al Sharpton and the National Action Network, at the Sheraton New York Hotel. The President's remarks are pooled for TV and open to correspondents and still photographers

The President will return to Washington, DC at night. The departure from John F. Kennedy International Airport and the arrival on the South Lawn are open press.

Out-of-Town Travel Pool

Wires: AP, Reuters, Bloomberg
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TV Corr & Crew: ABC
Print: Politico

In-town Travel Pool

Wires: AP, Reuters, Bloomberg

Wire Photos: AP, Reuters, AFP

TV Corr & Crew: ABC

Print: NPR

Radio: Hearst Newspapers

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9:30AM In-Town Travel Pool Call Time

11:00AM THE PRESIDENT receives the Presidential Daily Briefing

Oval Office

Closed Press

12:15PM THE PRESIDENT departs the White House en route Andrews Air Force Base

South Lawn

Open Press (Gather Time 12:00PM – North Doors of the Palm Room)

12:30PM THE PRESIDENT departs Andrews Air Force Base en route Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Out-of-Town Travel Pool Coverage (Call Time 11:15AM – Virginia Gate, Andrews Air Force Base)

1:15PM THE PRESIDENT arrives in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Philadelphia International Airport

Open Press

2:10PM THE PRESIDENT holds a town hall discussion with Gamesa workers

Gamesa Technology Corporation, Inc, Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania

Open Press

4:20PM THE PRESIDENT departs Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Philadelphia International Airport

Open Press

5:00PM THE PRESIDENT arrives in New York, New York

John F. Kennedy International Airport

Open Press

6:05PM THE PRESIDENT delivers remarks at National Action Networks Annual Gala

Sheraton New York Hotel, New York, New York

Pooled for TV, Open to pre-credentialed correspondents and still photographers

7:40PM THE PRESIDENT departs New York, New York

John F. Kennedy International Airport

Open Press

8:35PM THE PRESIDENT arrives at Andrews Air Force Base

Out-of-Town Travel Pool Coverage

8:50PM THE PRESIDENT arrives at the White House

South Lawn

Open Press (Gather Time 8:35PM – North Doors of the Palm Room)

Briefing Schedule

Press Secretary Jay Carney will gaggle aboard Air Force One

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**Schedule for President Barack Obama
Wednesday, April 6th, 2011**

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NY → Washington, DC**

Weather:

Washington, D.C	64/49, Mostly Sunny, 10% chance of precipitation
Philadelphia, PA	58/45, Mostly Sunny, 20% chance of precipitation
Fairless Hills, PA	60/45, Mostly Sunny, 10% chance of precipitation
New York City, NY	56/44, Partly Cloudy, 10% chance of precipitation

Time Zone:

Washington, D.C	Eastern Daylight Time
Philadelphia, PA	Eastern Daylight Time
Fairless Hills, PA	Eastern Daylight Time
New York City, NY	Eastern Daylight Time

Staff:

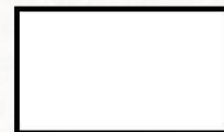
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Trip Director	Marvin Nicholson
Dep. Dir Oval Office Operations	Brian Mosteller
POTUS Personal Secretary	Katie Johnson
Director of Press Advance	Katie Lillie

Advance: Fairless Hills, PA

Lead	Michael Brush
Press	Deesha Dyer
Site	Nicole Lynch
Crowd	Ben Shannon
S2	Chris Mussett
P2	Stephanie Temaat
Motorcade	Ben Solomon
Airport	Andrew Mwavua
Travel Manager	Cole Randle
Trip Coordinator	Jordan Whichard
USSS	Patrick Freaney
WHCA	Kevin Tomlinson
WHMU	William Zarychta
Military Aide	Maj Barrett Bernard
AF-1 Advance	Brad Valentine
HMX 1	Stephen Gaugler
Advance Coordinator	Jesse Lewin

Advance: New York

Lead	Maju Varghese
Press	Josh Lipsky
Site	Malcolm Eve



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P2
Motorcade
Airport
S2-Clutch
Travel Manager
Trip Coordinator

Michael McSwain
Annie Borja
Kristina Broadie
Anna Markowitz
Christa Hall
Bobby Schmuck
Cole Randle
Jordan Whichard

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WHCA
WHMU
Military Aide
AF-1 Advance
HMX 1
Advance Coordinator

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Michael Romeo
Joe Uzpen
MAJ Reggie McClam
Joe Sposito
Duane Lamigo
Jesse Lewin

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Attire:

Gamesa Town Hall
National Action Network Gala

Suit jacket/No tie
Dark suit

Scheduling Contact:
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Gregory Lorjuste
Danielle Crutchfield

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Wednesday, April 6th, 2011
Washington, D.C → Philadelphia, PA → Fairless Hills, PA → Philadelphia, PA → New York City → Washington, D.C

9:00 – 9:10 am

SVTC PREP

Location: Situation Room
POC: Brooke Anderson
Attendees: 3
PRESS: CLOSED

9:10 – 9:40 am

SVTC WITH PRESIDENT HAMID KARZAI OF AFGHANISTAN

Location: Situation Room
POC: Brooke Anderson
Attendees: 1
PRESS: CLOSED

9:45 – 10:15 am

LIBYA MEETING

Location: Situation Room
POC: Brooke Anderson
Attendees: 16
PRESS: CLOSED

10:15 – 10:20 am

MOVE TO OVAL OFFICE

10:20 – 10:35 am **PREP**
 Location: Oval Office
 POC: Awenate Cobbina
 Attendees: TBD
 PRESS: CLOSED
 Note: Manifest will be confirmed in the morning

10:35 – 11:50 am **HOLD FOR LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS//BUDGET MEETING OR CALLS**
 Location: Oval Office
 POC: Awenate Cobbina
 Attendees: TBD
 PRESS: CLOSED
 Note: Manifest will be confirmed in the morning

11:50 – 12:00 pm **MAKE A WISH VISIT**
 Location: Oval Office
 POC: Ellie Schafer
 Attendees: 4
 PRESS: CLOSED//WH Official Photographer

12:10 – 12:15 pm **LOAD MARINE ONE**

12:15 – 12:25 pm **LIFT FROM SOUTH LAWN TO JBA**
 Aircraft: VH-3D
 PRESS: OPEN

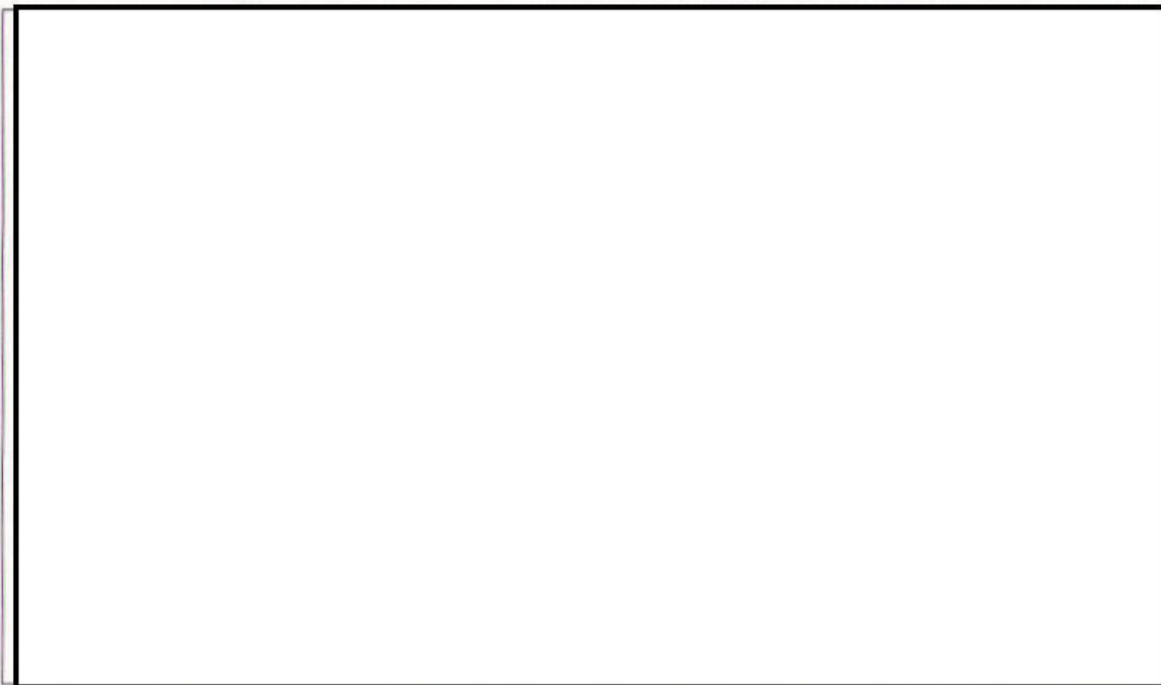
Marine One (VH-3D)	Nighthawk 2 (VH-3D)

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12:25 – 12:30 pm **ARRIVE JBA//LOAD AIR FORCE ONE**

12:30 – 1:15 pm **WHEELS UP FROM JBA TO PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**
 Aircraft: VC-25 747
 Flight time: 45 minutes//45 minutes on the clock
 Note: Lunch on plane

Air Force 1 Manifest



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1:15 – 1:20 pm

**ARRIVE PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT//ARRIVAL
GRETT//LOAD MARINE ONE**

Site: Andrew Mwavua
PRESS: OPEN

Greeted by:

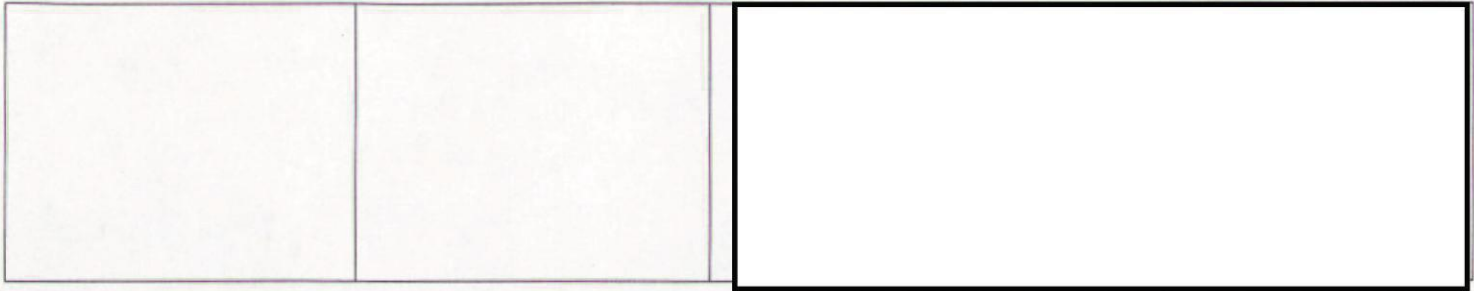
- Mayor Michael Nutter

1:20 – 1:40 pm

**LIFT FROM PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO
FACTORY LANDING ZONE**

Lift time: 20 minutes

Marine 1: VH-3	Nighthawk 2: VH-3	Nighthawk 3: CH-53	Nighthawk 4: CH-53



1:40 – 1:45 pm

ARRIVE FACTORY LANDING ZONE//LOAD MOTORCADE

Site: Ben Solomon
PRESS: POOL

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1:45– 1:50 pm



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1:50 – 1:55 pm

ARRIVE GAMESA WIND PA, LLC//ARRIVAL GREET//MOVE TO TBD

Location: Gamesa Wind PA, LLC
400 Gamesa Drive
Fairless Hills, PA 19030

POTUS Hold: Tony Belles's Office
Staff Hold: Nacelle Trailer
Site: Nicole Lynch
PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

Greeted by:

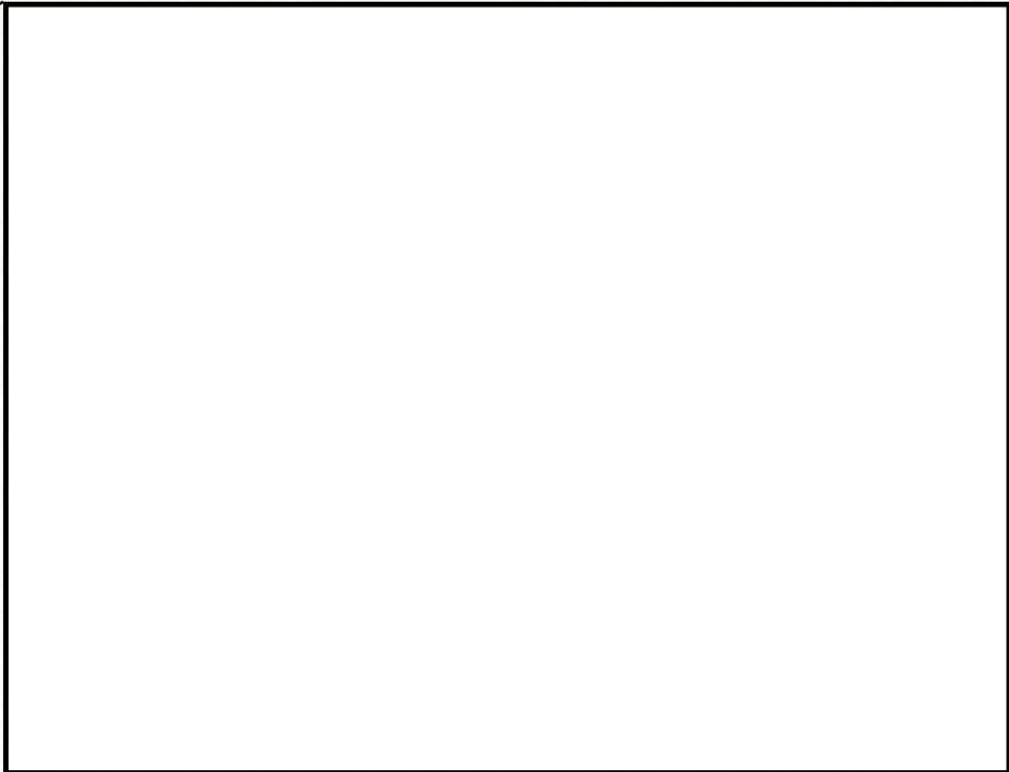
- Dirk Matthys- Chief Executive Officer, Gamesa Technology Corporation
- Luis M. Fernandez- Chief Corporate Officer- Gamesa Technology Corporation
- Arthur S. Whittemore, III- Chief Financial Officer, Gamesa Technology Corporation
- Alfred Richter- Plant Manager, Gamesa Technology Corporation

1:55 – 2:05 pm



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2:05 – 2:10 pm

MOVE TO FACTORY FLOOR

2:10 – 3:25 pm

TOWN HALL WITH GAMESA WORKERS

Location: Gamesa Wind PA, LLC

Room: Factory Floor

Attendees: 500

Site: Nicole Lynch

Setup: YOU deliver remarks from the Falcon Toast Lectern set on 16 by 16 stage. Head-on shot will be factory machinery and large United States flag. Cut-shot will be finished Nacelle. Guests will be seated theater style.

Sound/Podium: FTL with wired mics

Remarks: Prepared

Teleprompter: YES

PRESS: OPEN

Format:

- VOG announces YOU to stage
- YOU proceed to podium and deliver prepared remarks
- Following remarks, YOU participate in Q&A with workers
- At the conclusion of Q&A, YOU work a rope line from left to right
- YOU depart

3:25 – 3:30 pm

POLICE//FIRE//MOTORCADE DRIVER PHOTOS

Location: Break room
Site: Nicole Lynch
PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

3:30 – 3:40 pm

ELECTED OFFICIALS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS PHOTO LINE

Location: Gamesa Wind PA, LLC
Room: Break Room
Attendees: 11
Staff: Joe Paulsen
Site: Nicole Lynch
Setup: Push and pull photo line
PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

Participants:

Elected Officials

- Tina Davis, Representative (D - Bucks County, PA)
- Diane M. Ellis-Marseglia, Commissioner (Bucks County)
- James Kenney, City Councilmember (D - Philadelphia)
- Steve Santarsiero, Representative (D - Bucks County, PA)
- Josh Shapiro, Representative (D - Montgomery County)

Community Leaders

- David Chermol, Founding and Lead Partner, Chermol & Fishman, LLC
- Billy Coe, Student
- Lewis "Spike" Dopson, AFL-CIO
- Joshua Sevin, Deputy Director, The Economy League
- Frank Snyder, Secretary-Treasurer of the Pennsylvania AFL-CIO
- Steven Wray, Executive Director, The Economy League

3:45 – 3:50 pm

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3:50 – 3:55 pm

ARRIVE FACTORY LANDING ZONE//LOAD MARINE ONE

Site: N/A
PRESS: POOL

3:55 – 4:15 pm

LIFT FROM FACTORY LANDING ZONE TO PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
Lift time: 20 minutes

Marine 1: VH-3	Nighthawk 2: VH-3	Nighthawk 3: CH-53	Nighthawk 4: CH-53

4:15 – 4:20 pm

ARRIVE PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL//LOAD AIR FORCE ONE
Site: Andrew Mwavua
PRESS: OPEN

4:20 – 5:00 pm

WHEELS UP FROM PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
Aircraft: VC-25 747
Flight time: 40 minutes//40 minutes on the clock

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Air Force 1 Manifest



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5:00 – 5:05 pm **ARRIVE JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT//LOAD MARINE ONE**
Site: Christa Hall
PRESS: OPEN

5:05 – 5:25 pm **LIFT FROM JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO WALL STREET
LANDING ZONE**
Lift time: 20 minutes

Marine 1: VH-3	Nighthawk 2: VH-3	Nighthawk 3: CH-46	Nighthawk 4: CH-46

5:25 – 5:30 pm

ARRIVE WALL STREET LANDING ZONE//LOAD MOTORCADE

Site: Anna Markowitz
PRESS: POOL

5:30– 5:45 pm

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PRESS

5:45 – 5:50 pm

ARRIVE SHERATON NEW YORK HOTEL AND TOWERS//ARRIVAL GREET:

Location: Sheraton New York Hotel
811 7th Ave
New York, NY 10019

POTUS Hold: Central Park West

Staff Hold: Central Park West

Site: Malcolm Eve

PRESS: CLOSED

Greeted by:

- Mark Sanders- General Manager, Sheraton New York

5:50 – 6:05 pm

PHOTO LINE WITH VIP GUESTS AND AWARD HONOREE'S

Location: Sheraton New York Hotel

Room: Lenox Ballroom

Attendees: 23

Staff: Bobby Schmuck

Site: Malcolm Eve

Setup: Push and Pull photo line

PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

Clicks:

- Rev. Al Sharpton- President & Founder-NAN
- Rev. Al Shartpon, Dominique and Ashley Sharpton (Daughters)
- Dr. William Franklyn Richardson- Chairman of NAN Board
- Jim Brown- Football Legend (Keepers of the Dream honoree)
- Monique Brown- Spouse of Jim Brown
- David Cohen- Executive Vice President, Comcast Corporation
- William "Bill" Cosby
- George Gresham- President, Local 1199 SEIU
- Sandra Gresham- Spouse of George Gresham

- Phil Griffin- President-MSNBC (Keepers of the Dream honoree)
- Michael Hardy- Executive Vice President, NAN
- David Jefferson Sr.- CEO and President, JNET Communications, LLC
- Ervin "Magic" Johnson- NBA Legend (Keepers of the Dream honoree)
- Alfred Liggins- CEO, TV One/Radio One
- Paula Madison- Executive, National Broadcasting Company
- Tamika Mallory- Executive Director, NAN
- Lamell McMorris- NAN Board, CEO, Perennial Strategy Group (Keeper of the Dream honoree)
- Bertha McMorris- Spouse of Lamell
- Sylvia Rhone- President, Motown Records
- Latanya Richardson Jackson- Actress and Philanthropist (Keepers of the Dream honoree)
- Lee Saunders- Secretary-Treasurer, AFL-CIO
- Rev. J. Lawrence Turner- Secretary, NAN Board, Community Baptist Church, New Haven, CT

6:05 – 6:45 pm

REMARKS AT NATIONAL ACTION NETWORKS 20TH ANNUAL GALA

Location: Sheraton New York Hotel
 Room: Metropolitan Ballroom
 Attendees: 1,100
 Site: Malcolm Eve
 Setup: YOU deliver remarks from the Blue Goose Podium set on 12 by 12 stage. Head-on shot is MLK logo, United States and Presidential flag in front of blue drape. Cut-on shot will be National Action Network Banner. Guests will be seated at round tables
 Sound/Podium: Blue Goose Podium with wired mics
 Remarks: Prepared
 Teleprompter: YES
 PRESS: OPEN

Format:

Pre-program

- Ms. Aubrey Dubois performs the national anthem and black national anthem
- Rev. W. Franklyn Richardson introduces Rev. Al Sharpton

Program

- Rev. Al Sharpton delivers brief remarks and introduces YOU
- YOU deliver prepared remarks
- Following remarks, YOU work a rope line from left to right
- YOU depart

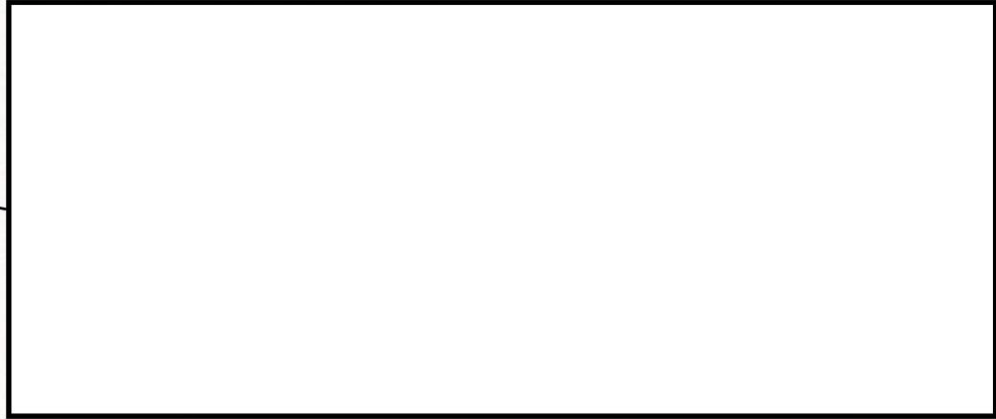
6:45 – 6:50 pm

POLICE//MOTORCADE DRIVER PHOTOS

Location: Central Park East
 Site: Malcolm Eve
 PRESS: CLOSED//WH Photographer

6:55 – 7:10 pm

EN ROUTE WALL STREET LANDING ZONE



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7:10 – 7:15 pm

ARRIVE WALL STREET LANDING ZONE//LOAD MARINE ONE

Site: N/A
PRESS: POOL

7:15 – 7:35 pm

LIFT FROM WALL STREET LANDING ZONE TO JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Lift time: 20 minutes

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Marine 1: VH-3	Nighthawk 2: VH-3	Nighthawk 3: CH-46	Nighthawk 4: CH-46

7:35 – 7:40 pm

ARRIVE JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT//LOAD AIR FORCE ONE

PRESS: POOL

7:40 – 8:35 pm

WHEELS UP FROM JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO JBA

Aircraft: VC-25 747

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Flight time: 55 minutes//55 minutes on the clock

Air Force 1 Manifest	

8:35 – 8:40 pm **ARRIVE JBA//LOAD MARINE ONE**

8:40 – 8:50 pm **LIFT FROM SOUTH LAWN TO JBA**

Aircraft: VH-3D
PRESS: OPEN

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Marine One (VH-3D)	Nighthawk 2 (VH-3D)

9:00 pm **HOLD FOR POSSIBLE MEETING (T)**

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